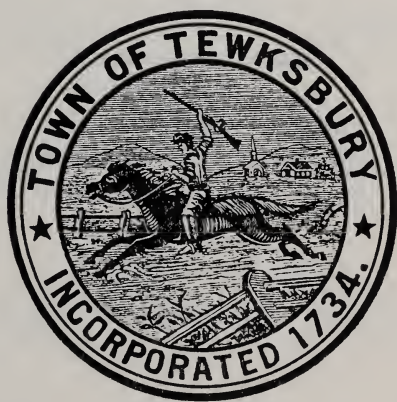


Annual Report
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN *of* TEWKSBURY



For the Year Ending Dec. 31,

1937

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PRINTERS**



190 MIDDLE ST., LOWELL, MASS.

TOWN *of* TEWKSBURY

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

1937

MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

HERBERT L. TRULL

EVERETT H. KING

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

IRVING F. FRENCH

HERBERT L. TRULL

EVERETT H. KING, Chairman

BOARD OF HEALTH

HERBERT L. TRULL, Chairman

EVERETT H. KING

IRVING F. FRENCH

ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

ALBION L. FELKER

WILBUR K. FOSS

TOWN CLERK

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN TREASURER

ALICE A. PIKE

COLLECTOR OF TAXES
ROBERT W. BARRON (Resigned)
ALICE A. PIKE—Temporary Collector

TOWN AUDITOR
ROBERT E. GAY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman
AUSTIN F. FRENCH GUY B. GRAY

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
STEPHEN G. BEAN

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY
EDGAR SMITH RUTH SMITH
HAROLD J. PATTEN MARION FRENCH
HARRY PRIESTLY DOROTHY FITZGERALD,
Chairman

LIBRARIAN
ABBIE M. BLAISDELL

ROAD COMMISSIONERS
TROMAS P. SAWYER, Chairman
JOHN T. GALE CHESTER M. ROPER

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS
DANIEL D. STERLING

TREE WARDEN
HARRIS M. BRIGGS

DEPUTY TREE WARDEN
HARRIS M. BRIGGS, JR.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman
HARRY C. DAWSON, Clerk
WM. H. BENNETT GEORGE McCOY

CONSTABLES

CYRIL L. BARKER LAUCHIE McPHAIL
JAMES W. BANCROFT

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS
ASAHEL H. JEWELL

WEIGHERS

GEORGE K. JAMES GEORGE B. TANNER
GEORGE McFAYDEN

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER
GEORGE K. JAMES

MEASURER OF WOOD
GEORGE K. JAMES

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
DUNCAN J. CAMERON

FIELD DRIVER AND POUND KEEPER
JESSE KEMP

FENCE VIEWERS
BOARD OF SELECTMEN

FISH AND GAME WARDEN
CYRIL L. BARKER

POLICE OFFICERS

CYRIL BARKER, Chief

| | |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| ABBOTT BATTLES | ROSS E. SARGENT |
| DANIEL D. STERLING | LAUCHIE McPHAIL |
| WILLIAM HURLEY | CHESTER E. BURGESS |
| JOSEPH A. VIVIER | OWEN S. CONWAY |
| CHARLES L. GALLAGHER | CHARLES McGUIRE |
| CLEM T. DAME | |

AGENT BOARD OF HEALTH

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

UNDERTAKER AND AGENT FOR BURIAL INDIGENT SOLDIERS

H. LOUIS FARMER (Registered Embalmer)

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

ALDEN S. HAINES

DEPUTY FOREST WARDEN

WILLIAM I. BAILEY

INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

ASAHEL H. JEWELL

LOCAL AGENT FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE
BROWN TAIL AND GYPSY MOTH

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

PARK COMMISSIONERS

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

THOMAS C. McCAUSLAND

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

ALDEN S. HAINES

APPRAISERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

JANITOR TOWN HALL

GEORGE K. JAMES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Term Expires 1940

WALTER R. ACKLES
KARL HEIDENRICH

FRANKLIN F. SPAULDING
WILLIAM H. BENNETT

Term Expires 1938

ELMER OLSON
JOHN H. KELLEY

WINTHROP S. BEAN
JAMES E. McCOY

Term Expires 1939

HARRY P. NASH, Sec.
LOUIS BERUBE

MARK ROPER
PHILIP M. BATTLES

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

FREDERICK M. CARTER FRANKLIN F. SPAULDING
MARK ROPER

DOG OFFICER

JAMES W. BANCROFT

CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

WINTHROP JONES

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1937

| No. | Date of Birth | Name of Child | Name of Parents |
|-----|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Jan. 5 | Margaret Anne Myhr | Anstein and Thelma |
| 1A | Jan. 8 | ———— Perry | Charles and Mary |
| 2A | Jan. 6 | ———— Slaney | Harold and Irene |
| 3A | Jan. 8 | ———— Coutu | Louis and Esther |
| 4A | Jan. 11 | ———— Bowden | Charles and Marion |
| 5A | Jan. 19 | ———— Coutu | Arthur and Sophia |
| 6A | Feb. 6 | ———— Garside | David and Marion |
| 7A | Jan. 22 | ———— Davis | Warren A. and Elizabeth |
| 8A | Feb. 10 | Ethel Louise Hill | George L. and Gertrude |
| 9A | Mar. 7 | ———— Shanley | William J. and Anna |
| 2 | Mar. 23 | Katherine Marinda Sands | Earl R. and Ella J. |
| 10A | Mar. 11 | ———— Manseau | Wilfred O. and Madeline |
| 11A | Mar. 6 | Nancy Ann Maclaren | Arthur and Ora |
| 3 | Apr. 11 | Ola Janet Martel | Odina and Agnes |
| 12A | Apr. 13 | ———— Sullivan | Thomas and Dorothy |
| 13A | Apr. 14 | ———— Bell | Lester and Alice |
| 14A | Apr. 23 | ———— Regnier | Walter and Theresa |
| 4 | Apr. 24 | ———— Denehy | John E. and Mildred |
| 15A | Apr. 9 | Gerald Allen Haines | Everett S. and Elizabeth |
| 5 | May 17 | ———— Gath | George and Mabel |
| 16A | Apr. 10 | Emile Joseph Bernier | Emile and Kathleen |
| 17A | May 16 | Robert Wesley Barron Jr. | Robert W. and Louise |
| 18A | June 15 | ———— Page | John C. and Catherine |
| 19A | June 15 | ———— Page | John C. and Catherine |
| 6 | June 9 | Mary Janet LeBouef | Roland and Lillian |
| 7 | July 4 | Paul Arthur Brazee | Louis and Elizabeth |
| 20A | June 15 | Gerald Hallowood | John and Gertrude |
| 8 | July 23 | William Paul Cuskey Jr. | William P. and Alice |
| 21A | July 22 | ———— McCoy | Paul J. and Eleanor |
| 22A | Aug. 6 | ———— Dunnan | Donald W. and Miriam |
| 23A | July 14 | Robert DeCarolis | Armando and Veneranda |
| 9 | Aug. 16 | Barbara Lillian Swistak | Rudolph and Lillian |
| 10 | Sept. 9 | Normand Cleghorn | George and Rita |
| 24A | Sept. 3 | ———— | |
| 11 | Aug. 31 | Ruth Elizabeth Blair | George and Johann |
| 12 | Sept. 21 | Anne Collins | Thomas and Anna |

| No. | Date of Birth | Name of Child | Name of Parents |
|-----|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 25A | Aug. 14 | Thomas Cornelius Regan | Timothy and Rita |
| 26A | Aug. 25 | James Lawrence Livingston | James and Mary |
| 13 | Sept. 28 | ———— Paquette | Alfred and Delia |
| 14 | Sept. 28 | ———— Paquette | Alfred and Delia |
| 27A | Sept. 28 | ———— Anderson | Clifford H. and Ethel |
| 28A | Sept. 29 | Mary Jane Ann Judd | Eric and Hazel |
| 15 | Oct. 1 | Nancy Ann Stevenson | George and Esther |
| 29A | Oct. 7 | ———— Collins | Leslie and Elizabeth |
| 16 | Oct. 26 | Mary Ada Clark | Clyde L. and Ruth |
| 17 | Sept. 28 | ———— Foster | Forest and Lillian |
| 30A | June 17 | Marie Claire Cafrey | Joseph P. and Alice |
| 31A | Nov. 24 | ———— Ralph | Richard H. and Alice |
| 32A | July 28 | Edward Everett Ebinger | Carl and Vera |
| 33A | Nov. 9 | Donald Urban Booth | Raymond and Mildred |

Marriages Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1937

| No. | Date of Marriage | Name | Residence |
|-----|------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Jan. 3 | Arthur J. Baker | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Frances H. Malonson | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 2 | Mar. 21 | Harold L. Roberts | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Hope M. Haines | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 3 | Apr. 17 | Hamilton Norwood | New Bedford, Mass. |
| | | Anna S. Kenworthy | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 4 | Apr. 17 | Stanley J. Gastar | Niagara Falls, N. Y. |
| | | Helen A. Kasetta | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 5 | Apr. 18 | Herbert A. Fairbrother | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Sarah A. McBride | Lowell, Mass. |
| 6 | May 3 | Harold C. Roberts | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Bertha E. Lindquist | Lowell, Mass. |
| 7 | Apr. 10 | Francis McGarry | Lowell, Mass. |
| | | Delphina Lorenzo | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 8 | May 15 | Charles Schultz | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Beatrice McCracken | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 9 | May 23 | Alfred R. Prescott | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Stephen D. Mahoney | Saugus, Mass. |
| 10 | May 31 | William K. Lawrie | Andover, Mass. |
| | | Margaret D. Gray | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 11 | June 2 | Waldo G. Cummings | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Josephine A. Parkinson | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 12 | June 19 | Frank Lima | Lowell, Mass. |
| | | Dorothy LeBouef | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 13 | June 20 | Francis L. Brown | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Mary E. McKinley | Lowell, Mass. |
| 14 | June 20 | Wilfred J. McCoy | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Lillian K. Chapdelaine | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 15 | June 27 | Joseph E. Sawicki, Jr. | Nashua, N. H. |
| | | Mildred C. Obert | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 16 | July 3 | John J. O'Donnell | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Mable Johnson | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 17 | June 27 | Harold L. Barbieri | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Antoinette Eva St. Jean | Lowell, Mass. |
| 18 | July 10 | Leo C. Bussiere | Lowell, Mass. |
| | | Marguerite M. C. Pare | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 19 | July 17 | Joseph E. Baker | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| | | Ethel F. Gray | Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 20 | July 17 | James McCaffrey | Medford, Mass. |
| | | Ruth G. Kelley | Tewksbury, Mass. |

| No. | Date of Marriage | Name | Residence |
|-----|---------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| 21 | July 24 | Edmond J. Pare Dorothy Muttall | Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass. |
| 22 | Aug. 17 | Ralph Hill Beatrice Richard | Nashua, N. H. Nashua, N. H. |
| 23 | Aug. 14 | Michael Pieslak Viola J. Rychwa | Chelmsford, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 24 | Aug. 15 | John T. O'Donnell Ellen A. Chase | Dorchester, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 25 | Aug. 20 | Arthur Mellen Margaret Bowman | Somerville, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 26 | Sept. 5 | Frederick C. Gath Louise M. Shaw | Tewksbury, Mass. Lawrence, Mass. |
| 27 | Sept. 18 | Daniel O'Neill Alice Gath | Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass. |
| 28 | Sept. 26 | Edward E. Poore Eugenie E. Pelletier | Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 29 | Aug. 29 | Louis J. Laporte Lillian M. Bourret | Dracut, Mass. Dracut, Mass. |
| 30 | Sept. 22 | Donald G. Hicks Mary S. Gillespie | Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass. |
| 31 | Sept. 14 | Gilbert W. Hunt Pauline S. MacKay | Tewksbury, Mass. Nashua, N. H. |
| 32 | Oct. 12 | Francis A. Kelliher Louise M. Kelley | Somerville, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 33 | Oct. 23 | George Kaulin Monica Lucas | Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 34 | Oct. 24 | William J. Podgorni Dora Cumings | Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 35 | Oct. 30 | Charles E. Carney Kathleen M. Penney | Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 36 | Nov. 6 | John D. Stewart Dorothy M. Lavell | Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 37 | Nov. 24 | John E. McCarthy Mary E. Gath | Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 38 | Nov. 25 | Cornelius E. Mahoney Elizabeth C. Murphy | Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass. |
| 39 | Nov. 25 | James W. Bancroft Gladys M. Penney | Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |
| 40 | Nov. 28 | Rocco Fusco Florence DiPalma | Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass. |

Deaths recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1937

| No. | Date of Death | Name | yrs. | months | days |
|-----|------------------|-----------------------------|------|--------|------|
| 1 | Jan. 1 | Etta Lillian Anderson | 41 | 7 | 18 |
| 2 | Jan. 20 | Walter H. Folsom | 72 | 10 | 8 |
| 1A | Jan. 12 | George Leonard | 89 | — | — |
| 3 | Jan. 31 | Louisa F. Carter | 77 | 3 | 9 |
| 4 | Feb. 14 | Charles S. Philbrick | 79 | 10 | 5 |
| 5 | Feb. 15 | Sadie Beatrice James | 43 | 1 | 29 |
| 6 | Mar. 1 | Elmer K. Nary | — | 2 | 19 |
| 2A | Feb. 5 | Joseph J. Spring | 72 | — | — |
| 3A | Feb. 4 | Martha Kaulin | 44 | 8 | — |
| 4A | Jan. 5 | George J. Stokes | 77 | 11 | — |
| 5A | Feb. 8 | Ernest Nary | — | 2 | — |
| 7 | Mar. 23 | Abner S. Goodwin | 77 | — | 23 |
| 6A | Mar. 23 | Frank Henry Porter | 61 | — | 19 |
| 7A | Mar. 25 | Edward McMullen | 36 | 6 | 18 |
| 8A | Mar. 8 | Richard Callahan | 9 | 4 | — |
| 9A | Mar. 31 | Arthur J. Benoit | 42 | — | — |
| 10A | Apr. 1 | Albert S. Briggs | 82 | 7 | 7 |
| 8 | Apr. 9 | R. Warren Johnston | 58 | 5 | 21 |
| 11A | Mar. 18 | Thomas Griffin | 40 | 11 | 17 |
| 9 | Apr. 11 | Giuseffina Barbieri | 66 | — | — |
| 10 | Apr. 20 | Marcella V. March | 72 | 11 | 2 |
| 12A | Apr. 9 | Edna D. O'Connell | 42 | — | — |
| 13A | May 8 | Mary Ann Bebbington | 63 | — | — |
| 11 | May 8 | Catherine Sheehan | 80 | 1 | 8 |
| 12 | May 13 | John J. Belton | 80 | — | — |
| 13 | May 9 | Thomas M. McCarthy | 38 | 5 | 10 |
| 14A | May 9 | Lawrence S. Collins | 1 | — | 26 |
| 14 | Apr. 16 | Christina Streckwald | 82 | 6 | 4 |
| 15A | May 8 | Fred Brabant | 67 | 9 | 24 |
| 16A | June 19 | Mildred S. Millett | 40 | — | — |
| 17A | June 8 | Gorham F. Lovell | 81 | — | — |
| 15 | July 15 | Harold C. Johnson | 41 | 9 | 20 |
| 16 | Aug. 21 | Joseph DiPalma | 38 | — | — |
| 18A | Aug. 9 | Albert H. Colbath | 43 | 7 | 13 |
| 19A | Aug. 6 | Clement Munsey | 74 | — | — |
| 20A | Sept. 3 | ————— | | | |
| 17 | Sept. 19 | Jennie Dambrouskas | 72 | — | — |
| 18 | Sept. 30 | Velarie Dubuque | 90 | 6 | 18 |
| 19 | Sept. 30 | Margaret M. Horan | 76 | — | — |
| 20 | Oct. 3 | Frank Paulini | 53 | — | — |

| No. | Date of Death | Name | yrs. | months | days |
|-----|------------------|--------------------------|------|--------|------|
| 21 | Oct. 4 | Adelaide Fernandes | 43 | — | — |
| 21A | Sept. 5 | Michael D. Galvin | 61 | — | — |
| 22A | Sept. 25 | Mary Lee | 59 | — | — |
| 23A | Oct. 2 | Leonard Paquette | — | — | 4 |
| 22 | Oct. 10 | William J. Mildrum | 74 | 7 | — |
| 24A | Sept. 26 | Walter McCarthy | 41 | 6 | 10 |
| 23 | Oct. 15 | Jennie Andelman | 73 | — | — |
| 25A | Oct. 11 | Emma P. Maclaren | 55 | 1 | 14 |
| 26A | Oct. 31 | Annette Hallowood | 15 | 3 | 7 |
| 27A | Nov. 9 | Frankie Dondero | 59 | 5 | 7 |
| 24 | Dec. 9 | Paul Marchetti | 68 | — | — |

RECAPITULATION

| | |
|-----------------|----|
| Births | 50 |
| Males | 28 |
| Females | 22 |
| Marriages | 40 |
| Deaths | 51 |
| Males | 31 |
| Females | 20 |

Received and paid to Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, Seven hundred sixty-eight dollars and forty cents (\$768.40)

Received and paid to Town Treasurer for License Fees, Gasoline and Oil Permits, and Alcohol Licenses, etc., One thousand four hundred and twenty-eight dollars and ninety cents (\$1,428.90)

Received and paid to Division Fisheries and Game for Licenses, Three hundred and fourteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$314.25)

This makes a total of Two thousand five hundred and eleven dollars and fifty-five cents (\$2,511.55) received during the year 1937, and paid in to the proper accounts.

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice that he is prepared to furnish parents, householders, physicians and midwives, applying therefor, blanks for the return of births as required by law.

Attest:

HARRY C. DAWSON,

Town Clerk.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Value of land excluding Buldings Jan. 1, 1937..... | \$ 847,395.00 |
| Value of Buildings | 2,000,875.00 |
| Value of Personal Property | 1,773,423.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total Valuation for 1937 | 4,621,693.00 |
| Total Valuation for 1936 | 4,514,005.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Gain in Valuation | \$ 107,688.00 |

TAX LEVY FOR 1937

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| State Tax | \$ 7,590.00 | |
| State Parks | 118.75 | |
| Care for Civil War Veterans | 10.00 | |
| <hr/> | | \$ 7,718.75 |
| County Tax | \$ 6,707.55 | |
| County Hospital | 763.60 | |
| <hr/> | | \$ 7,471.15 |

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Schools | \$ 54,800.00 |
| Vocational Schools | 1,250.00 |
| High School 1st. Loan & Interest | 5,347.50 |
| High School 2nd. Loan & Interest..... | 1,137.50 |
| Shawsheen School Loan & Interest | 1,908.00 |
| Street Lighting | 5,600.00 |
| Incidentals | 1,000.00 |
| Highways | 17,000.00 |
| Tractor Loan & Interest | 2,412.00 |
| Library | 1,100.00 |
| Police | 5,000.00 |
| Stationary & Printing | 1,000.00 |
| Board of Health | 1,200.00 |
| Salaries | 3,000.00 |
| Park Commission | 200.00 |
| Tree Warden | 1,200.00 |
| Fire Dept. | 5,000.00 |
| Dept. of Public Welfare | 17,000.00 |
| Old Age Assistance & Federal Receipts..... | 6,000.00 |
| Town Hall | 3,200.00 |
| Assessors | 2,000.00 |

| | |
|--|----------|
| Inspection of Meats & Animals | 600.00 |
| Aid State & Military, Soldiers Relief | 2,500.00 |
| Interest on Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Collection of Taxes | 4,000.00 |
| Municipal Insurance | 1,500.00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 225.00 |
| Memorial Day | 250.00 |
| For Foreclosure Sales | 800.00 |
| Comm. to Investigate Tel. & Insurance Rates | 50.00 |
| Reimburse Town Treasurer for over Drafts in Welfare Dept..... | 238.53 |
| Expenses in Works Progress Admr. | 6,000.00 |
| New Quarters for Fire Dept. | 2,250.00 |
| For Athletic equipment for High School..... | 350.00 |
| Adelbert & Clarence Anderson for Land Taking | 450.00 |
| For Repairs on Pleasant St. | 1,000.00 |
| For Maintenance Chap. 90 | 2,500.00 |
| For Improvement of North St. | 2,500.00 |
| New Bridge on Bridge St. | 1,000.00 |
| Suppression of Brown Tail & Gypsy Moths.. | 1,000.00 |
| For Reserve Fund | 1,800.00 |
| For 4-H Club | 50.00 |
| To Pay City of Lowell in Settlement of Wel- fare Cases | 2,238.00 |

\$ 168,656.53

RECAPITULATION

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Town Appropriations | \$ 168,656.53 |
| State Tax | 7,590.00 |
| State Parks | 118.75 |
| Care for Civil War Veterans | 10.00 |
| County Tax | 6,707.55 |
| County Hospital Tax | 763.60 |
| Overlay (of current year)..... | 1,844.51 |

\$ 185,690.94

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Income Tax | \$ 11,734.35 |
| Corporation Taxes | 1,049.74 |
| Reimbursement of State owned Land..... | 3,188.50 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise | 4,300.00 |

| | | |
|--|-------------|---------------|
| Licenses | 1,300.00 | |
| Fines | 50.00 | |
| General Government | 300.00 | |
| Protection of Persons & Property | 50.00 | |
| Charities | 3,700.00 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,200.00 | |
| Soldiers Benefits | 150.00 | |
| Schools | 1,300.00 | |
| Miscellaneous | 75.00 | |
| Interest on Taxes and Assessments | 2,200.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 30,672.84 |
| State Tax raised in 1936 in excess of amounts paid | 17.06 | |
| County Tax raised in 1936 in excess of amounts paid | 40.04 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 57.10 |
| Total Deductions | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 30,729.94 |
| Total Valuation \$4,585,958.00. Tax Rate \$33.40 | | |
| Property Tax | | \$ 153,171.00 |
| Number of Polls 895 at \$2.00 each..... | | 1,790.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total Comm. on Polls & Property..... | | 154,961.00 |
| Total Valuation of Automobiles | | \$ 210,200.00 |
| Amount of Warrants to Collector | | 5,688.55 |
| Amount taken as Estimated Revenue | \$ 4,300.00 | |
| Amount of Abatements | 247.63 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ 4,547.63 | |
| Balance for Abatements | | \$ 1,140.63 |

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Number of Acres of Land | 11,532 |
| Houses | 1,042 |
| Horses | 76 |
| Cows | 736 |
| Swine | 102 |
| Neat Cattle | 98 |
| Sheep | 1 |
| Foxes | 7 |
| Fowl | 7,640 |
| Persons Assessed | 2,196 |

EXEMPTED PROPERTY

| | |
|---|--------------|
| First Congregational Church | \$ 50,500.00 |
| First Baptist Society | 11,900.00 |
| Oblate Fathers O. M. I. | 33,300.00 |
| South Tewksbury M. E. Mission | 5,500.00 |
| Congregation B'nai Scholom | 2,250.00 |
| Catholic Literary Asso. | 2,250.00 |
| Silver Lake Evangelical Asso. | 17,000.00 |
| Seraphic Seminary Mount Saint Francis | 500.00 |
| Tewksbury Cemetery Corp. | 11,400.00 |
| Pine Hill Cemetery | 1,000.00 |
| Ladies Shawsheen Camping Club Assn. Inc. | 500.00 |
| Women's Home & Foreign Mission Society .. | 100.00 |

\$ 162,300.00

TOWN & STATE PROPERTY EXEMPT

| | |
|---|---------------|
| School | \$ 222,000.00 |
| Library | 12,000.00 |
| Cemeteries | 2,000.00 |
| Highway Dept. | 11,000.00 |
| Scales | 500.00 |
| Sealer of Weights Equest. | 1,500.00 |
| Public Parks | 3,500.00 |
| Fire Dept. | 21,700.00 |
| Town Hall | 85,500.00 |
| Moth Dept. Equest. | 500.00 |
| Land Reserved for Fire Protection | 1,700.00 |
| State Property & Infirmary | 4,300,000.00 |
| Martina Gage Land | 400.00 |

\$4,462,300.00

Respectfully Submitted,

BUZZELL KING,
ALBION L. FELKER,
WILBUR K. FOSS,

Assessors of Tewksbury.

TREASURER'S REPORT

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Cash Balance January 1, 1937 | \$ 59,184.58 |
| Loans in Anticipation of Revenue | 135,000.00 |

\$194,184.58

Taxes

1932 Account:

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| Real Estate | \$ 43.92 |
| Interest | 44.35 |

1933 Account:

| | |
|-------------------|-----------|
| Real Estate | \$ 506.96 |
| Interest | 147.81 |

1934 Account:

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Real Estate and Personal | \$ 1,192.00 |
| Poll | 33.50 |
| Excise | 40.84 |
| Interest | 243.15 |
| Demands | 5.25 |

1935 Account:

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Real Estate and Personal | \$ 8,700.05 |
| Poll | 50.00 |
| Excise | 224.86 |
| Interest | 765.68 |
| Demands | 31.50 |
| Advertising | 16.50 |

1936 Account:

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Real Estate and Personal | \$ 10,469.71 |
| Poll | 133.00 |
| Excise | 689.60 |
| Interest | 482.54 |
| Demands | 17.15 |

1937 Account:

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Real Estate and Personal | \$105,227.13 |
| Poll | 1,158.00 |
| Excise | 3,048.02 |
| Interest | 43.06 |
| Demands | 3.15 |

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|---|-----------|
| Unclassified Cash a/c Taxes | 3,997.01 |
| Massachusetts Bonding Co. a/c Taxes | 32,447.14 |

\$ 169,761.88

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|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Tax Title Redemptions | \$ 8,361.51 | |
| Land of Low Value | 50.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 8,411.51 |

Highways

| | | |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| State Treasurer | \$ 14,205.72 | |
| County Treasurer | 4,118.06 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 18,323.78 |

Schools

State Treasurer:

| | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Aid to Independent Industrial Schools | \$ 298.11 | |
| L. A. Webster a/c Tuition | 25.00 | |
| Town of Andover a/c Tuition | 65.00 | |
| City of Boston a/c Tuition | 426.80 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 814.91 |

Public Welfare

State Treasurer:

| | | |
|---|-----------|--------------|
| Aid to Dependent Children | \$ 663.60 | |
| Temporary Aid | 4,297.70 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,927.94 | |
| Old Age Assistance, Federal Grant | 5,633.17 | |
| Aid to Dependent Children, Federal Grant.. | 1,710.83 | |
| Veterans' Exemption | 76.93 | |
| Reimbursement other cities and towns | 3,554.57 | |
| Individual refunds | 69.00 | |
| Old Age Assistance other cities and towns | 218.09 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 18,151.83 |

Military Aid

State Treasurer:

| | | |
|---|----------|----------|
| Military Aid | \$ 20.00 | |
| Reimbursement City of North Adams | 13.81 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 33.81 |

Town Hall

| | | |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Rent of Hall | \$ 126.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 126.00 |

Public Library

| | | |
|---|-----------|--|
| County Treasurer, Dog Tax Refunds | \$ 321.16 | |
|---|-----------|--|

| | | |
|-------------------------|-------|-----------|
| Cards, fines, etc. | 9.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 330.16 |

Income Tax

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| State Treasurer | \$ 13,789.55 | |
| State Treasurer, Acts of 1936 | 236.48 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 14,026.03 |

Trust Funds

| | | |
|-------------------------------|---------|----------|
| William Pringle Fund | \$ 2.50 | |
| Ebenezer Page Fund | 5.00 | |
| Louise Bridges Fund | 2.50 | |
| Samuel Jaques Fund | 2.50 | |
| Jeremiah Kittredge Fund | 2.50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 15.00 |

Police

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| District Court of Lowell, fines, etc. | \$ 276.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 276.00 |

Miscellaneous

State Treasurer:

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Corp., Gas, Electric Lights, etc. | \$ 1,763.52 |
| Reimbursement, Loss of Taxes | 3,188.50 |
| Gypsy Moth | 55.68 |

County Treasurer:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Reimbursement a/c Vaccine | 36.50 |
| H. C. Dawson a/c Dog Licenses | 685.60 |
| H. C. Dawson a/c License Fees | 1,428.90 |
| Dental Clinic | 87.75 |
| Milk Licenses | 3.50 |

Advertising:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------|
| Wm. Tarella | 2.50 |
| D. J. Sheehan | 1.50 |
| H. Ramsbotham | 3.00 |
| Permits | 13.75 |
| Insurance Dividend | 6.00 |
| Pasteurization Fees | 20.00 |
| Ye Towne Booke | 1.00 |
| Supplies | .77 |
| Refund, Land Court | 57.37 |
| Sealer's Fees | 11.69 |
| Junk License | 1.00 |

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|-----------------------------|-------|--------------|
| Refunds | 3.50 | |
| Director of Standards | 60.00 | |
| Telephone: | | |
| A. A. Pike | 5.35 | |
| I. F. French | 2.90 | |
| B. King | 1.65 | |
| R. E. Gay | 2.65 | |
| H. L. Trull | 6.28 | |
| T. P. Sawyer | 39.20 | |
| H. C. Dawson | 15.00 | |
| A. S. Haines | 4.75 | |
| | | \$ 7,509.81 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Total Money Received | | \$431,965.30 |

Credit

Highways:

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Highway 81 | \$ 22,626.43 |
| Pleasant St., Chapter 90 | 3,595.00 |
| Bridge Appropriation | 992.03 |
| Highway Maintenance Fund | 5,807.02 |
| Chapter 90 Maintenance | 5,156.30 |
| Chapter 90 North Street | 9,123.65 |

Schools:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Teachers | 29,108.23 |
| Transportation | 7,085.02 |
| School Houses | 2,056.46 |
| Janitor and Fuel | 6,960.63 |
| School Books and Supplies | 2,988.16 |
| School Supervision | 877.56 |
| Teachers' Retirement Fund | 1,219.59 |
| School Miscellany | 3,383.55 |
| School Nurse | 920.80 |
| Medical Inspection | 200.00 |
| Public Welfare | 12,624.75 |
| Military Aid | 1,249.02 |
| Aid to Dependent Children | 4,184.00 |
| Stationery and Printing | 808.69 |
| Salaries | 2,860.00 |
| Incidentals | 876.39 |
| Inspection of Meats and Animals | 595.00 |
| Board of Health | 874.02 |
| Memorial Day | 250.00 |
| Street Lighting | 5,360.10 |
| Library | 1,391.80 |

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|---|--------------|--------------|
| Town Hall | 3,152.90 | |
| General | 181,578.97 | |
| Moth | 993.39 | |
| Tree Warden | 1,198.12 | |
| Interest | 737.45 | |
| Police | 4,997.18 | |
| Parks and Commons | 199.96 | |
| Assessors | 2,293.77 | |
| Tractor Loan | 2,412.00 | |
| Fire Department | 5,249.20 | |
| Vocational School | 946.21 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 12,658.06 | |
| W. P. A. | 7,528.20 | |
| Foreclosure Tax Title | 355.90 | |
| Committee on Insurance Rates | 10.75 | |
| Collection of Taxes | 3,967.16 | |
| Remodeling Legion Hall Building | 4,494.00 | |
| Motor Excise Tax Refund | 62.29 | |
| 4-H Club | 35.50 | |
| High School Loan | 6,471.25 | |
| Shawsheen School Loan | 1,899.00 | |
| Athletics and Equipment | 346.20 | |
| Reimbursement Damage to property, Chapman Rd. | 450.00 | |
| Appropriation Unpaid Welfare Bills | 2,238.00 | |
| Municipal Insurance Fund | 1,500.00 | |
| Sealer Weights and Measures | 200.00 | |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | 15.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$379,164.66 |
| Total Money Received | | \$431,965.30 |
| Total Money Paid Out | | 379,164.66 |
| Bank Balance | \$ 52,702.18 | |
| Cash on Hand | 98.46 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 52,800.64 |

Assets

| | | |
|--|-----------|--------------|
| Money due the Town a/c Highways | 12,196.84 | |
| Money due the Town, other cities and towns a/c Welfare | 5,188.58 | |
| Money due the Town, other cities and towns a/c Old Age Assistance | 183.90 | |
| State Treasurer a/c Old Age Assistance | 3,160.90 | |
| Outstanding Taxes, uncollected | 56,866.76 | |
| Cash on Hand | 52,800.64 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$130,497.62 |

Liabilities

| | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| High School Loan, Notes 133—177 | \$ 45,000.00 | |
| Additional High School Loan, Notes 181—191.... | 4,000.00 | |
| Note No. 205, due Feb. 9, 1938 | 25,000.00 | |
| Note No. 206, due Feb. 9, 1938 | 10,000.00 | |
| Note No. 209, due Nov. 26, 1938 | 25,000.00 | |
| Note No. 210, due Nov. 26, 1938 | 10,000.00 | |
| Note No. 211, due Nov. 26, 1938 | 10,000.00 | |
| Note No. 212, due Nov. 26, 1938 | 5,000.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$134,000.00 |
| Total Liabilities | | \$134,000.00 |
| Total Assets | | 130,497.62 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 3,502.38 |

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF TOWN IN LAST TEN YEARS

| | | Tax Rate |
|--|--------------|----------|
| 1929 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st | \$ 21,548.92 | \$29.20 |
| 1930 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st | 1,604.76 | 29.40 |
| 1931 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st | 11,126.04 | 24.00 |
| 1932 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st | 13,201.94 | 24.00 |
| 1933 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st | 18,201.94 | 24.00 |
| 1934 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st | 10,283.39 | 30.00 |
| 1935 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st | 4,256.33 | 29.60 |
| 1936 Balance against the Town Jan 1st | 40,363.11 | 33.30 |
| 1937 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st | 26,172.22 | 33.40 |
| 1938 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st | 3,502.38 | <hr/> |

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE A. PIKE,
Town Treasurer.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1931 Account

| | |
|--|----------|
| Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me. | |
| Amount of Warrant | \$ 58.32 |
| Taxes Abated | 41.52 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | 16.80 |

1932 Account

| | |
|--|----------|
| Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me. | |
| Amount of Warrant | \$ 43.62 |
| Taxes Abated | 43.62 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | none |

1933 Account

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me. | |
| Amount of Warrant | \$ 595.00 |
| Taxes Abated | 270.88 |
| Interest Collected | 107.08 |
| Taxes Collected | 318.12 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | 6.00 |

1934 Account

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me. | |
| Amount of Warrant | \$ 1,651.20 |
| Taxes reassessed | 553.82 |
| Taxes Abated | 393.95 |
| Interest Collected | 309.06 |
| Taxes Collected | 1,338.85 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | 472.22 |

1935 Account

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me. | |
| Amount of Warrants | \$ 6,123.28 |
| Taxes Reassessed | 450.19 |
| Credited with Taxes on Tax Titles | 1,501.38 |
| Taxes Abated | 331.42 |
| Interest on Above Tax Titles | 140.66 |
| Interest Collected | 389.98 |
| Taxes Collected | 3,886.38 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | 854.29 |

1936 Account

Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me.

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Amount of Warrants | \$ 27,358.76 |
| Credited with Taxes on Tax Titles | 3,150.24 |
| Taxes Abated | 64.28 |
| Interest on Above Tax Titles | 143.36 |
| Interest Collected | 418.61 |
| Taxes Collected | 7,632.25 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | 16,511.99 |

1937 Account

Outstanding August 23, 1937 and recommitted to me.

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Amount of Warrants | \$149,662.37 |
| Credited with Taxes on Tax Titles | 2,716.21 |
| Taxes Abated | 528.50 |
| Interest Collected | 43.57 |
| Taxes Collected | 107,412.20 |
| Outstanding January 1, 1938 | 39,005.46 |

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE A. PIKE,

Collector of Taxes

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

The Board of Appraisers submit the following report:

Moth and Tree Warden Departments

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| January 1, 1937 | \$ 1,124.55 |
| January 1, 1938 | 1,145.35 |
| <hr/> | |
| Net Gain | \$ 20.80 |

Highway Department

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| January 1, 1937 | \$ 9,067.65 |
| January 1, 1938 | 11,275.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Net Gain | \$ 2,207.35 |

WPA Property

| | |
|---|-----------|
| 1 Dodge Truck (1930) | \$ 200.00 |
| 1 Chevrolet Truck (1933) | 250.00 |
| 1 Ford Truck (1931) | 150.00 |
| Sewing machines and equipment | 238.50 |
| Boots | 30.00 |
| Two horse scoop | 8.00 |
| Wheelbarrows | 12.00 |
| Shovels, picks, grubs, rakes, saws, etc. | 157.00 |
| Land Lime | 18.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

IRVING F. FRENCH,
EVERETT H. KING,
HERBERT L. TRULL,
Appraisers.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Tewksbury:
Gentlemen:

Following is my report for Inspection of Meats and Provisions for the year of 1937 from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1937.

| | |
|---|------|
| Number of Sides of Beef inspected | 1475 |
| Number of Calves inspected | 529 |
| Number of Hogs inspected | 652 |
| Number of Sheep inspected | 12 |

Cattle condemned.

| | |
|---|----|
| Number of Sides of Beef condemned | 2 |
| Number of Heads condemned | 2 |
| Number of Sets of Lungs condemned | 12 |
| Number of Livers condemned | 5 |

Swine condemned.

| | |
|---|----|
| Number of Swine condemned | 9 |
| Number of Head condemned..... | 2 |
| Number of Sets of Lungs condemned | 10 |
| Number of Livers condemned | 12 |

Calves condemned.

| | |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of Veals condemned | 21 |
| Number of Sheep condemned | 1 |

Respectfully submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,
Inspector of Meats and Provisions.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

During the year a special effort has been made to determine settlement beginning and endings of a great many of the Town's cases. This has insured better collections and will be a benefit in the future.

The burden which was comparatively light during the first three-quarters of the year, has increased considerably in the last three months and while we have been able to pass part of this burden to Works Progress Administration Projects, in a good many cases it has not been possible.

Under the authority granted us at the last Town Meeting, it has become advisable, and the Board has transferred the sum of \$425 for continuation of the work on North Street, Chapter 90. This money provided work for part of our Welfare cases.

It has also become necessary to assume part of the cost of materials on Works Progress Administration Projects, for the last month of the year. This was in part necessitated by the increase in quota which was granted us in November and December.

The following is a recapitulation of the families, and persons represented, aided by the Welfare Department of this Town for the year 1937:

| | Families | Persons |
|--|----------|---------|
| Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury..... | 51 | 198 |
| Town settled cases aided by other Cities and Towns | 15 | 47 |
| Aided in Tewksbury, settled elsewhere | 39 | 133 |
| Hospitalization (Individuals) | | 18 |
| Total | 105 | 396 |

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|--|--------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 17,000.00 | |
| Plus Federal Grants (Aid to Dependent Children | 1,710.83 | |
| Total | | \$ 18,710.83 |

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|--|--------------|--------------|
| Expended for Welfare (Direct Relief) | \$ 12,624.75 | |
| Expended for Aid to Dependent Children.... | 4,184.00 | |
| Transferred to North St., Chapter 90..... | 425.00 | |
| Assumed for Materials on behalf of Works Progress Administration Projects | 512.76 | |
| Total | | \$ 17,746.51 |
| Balance | | \$ 964.32 |

During the year the following sums have been collected by this Department:

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts | \$ 4,961.30 | |
| Town of Arlington | 76.95 | |
| Town of Chelmsford | 204.00 | |
| Town of North Andover | 32.00 | |
| Town of Wilmington | 540.05 | |
| City of Chelsea | 7.88 | |
| City of Everett | 28.27 | |
| City of New Bedford | 235.91 | |
| City of Malden | 389.44 | |
| City of Lowell | 623.40 | |
| City of Revere | 664.00 | |
| City of Somerville | 240.79 | |
| City of Waltham | 511.88 | |
| Refunds from Individuals | 69.00 | |
| Total | | \$ 8,584.87 |

There is due the Department from the following sources:

| | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Estimated from the Commonwealth of | | |
| Massachusetts | \$ 2,882.49 | |
| Town of Chelmsford | 108.00 | |
| Town of North Andover | 108.00 | |
| Town of Randolph | 148.13 | |
| City of Boston | 351.09 | |
| City of Lowell | 87.00 | |
| City of Malden | 266.78 | |
| City of Medford | 146.26 | |
| City of Revere | 536.00 | |
| City of Somerville | 357.45 | |
| City of Waltham | 38.00 | |
| Town of Wilmington | 159.38 | |
| Total | | \$ 5,188.58 |

We are requesting at the Town Meeting, that a separate appropriation be set aside for Aid of Dependent Children cases, as reimbursements which are received from the Federal Government can be used by this Department as a current receipt.

We estimate \$2,500.00, in addition to Federal Grants, will be needed to maintain this subdivision of the Board of Public Welfare.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING, Chairman
 IRVING F. FRENCH,
 HERBERT L. TRULL,
 Board of Public Welfare.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewksbury:
Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from January
1, 1937, to Dec. 31, 1937:

| | |
|------------------------------|------|
| Cows inspected | 1039 |
| Young Cattle inspected | 204 |
| Bulls inspected | 25 |
| Sheep inspected | 4 |
| Hogs inspected | 983 |
| Goats inspected | 2 |
| Stables inspected | 88 |

I have released for immediate slaughter 39 head of cattle and 25 calves.

For dairy purposes 91 head of cattle and 10 dogs were quarantined for rabies and released at the end of 14 days. Five dog heads sent to Harvard University School.

I have inspected two barns after state and federal supervision.

Respectfully submitted,

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Park Commissioners we herewith submit the following:

The commons were mowed during the summer and raked in the fall as usual. We are sorry to report the grass sowed in the fall of 1936 was almost totally destroyed by the drouth of the past summer. This will be resowed in the early spring.

The flagpole was painted with two coats of aluminum.

We recommend an appropriation of \$200.00 for 1938.

Yours respectfully,

THOMAS W. McAUSLAND,
HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Park Commissioners.

REPORT OF AGENT FOR SUPPRESSION OF GYPSY AND BROWN
TAIL MOTHS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Local Superintendent for the Suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths I submit the following:

I am sorry to report a very large increase of Gypsy moths. A thorough spraying of street trees bordering all badly infested woodlands must be done in the summer of 1938 or they will surely be stripped.

The whole North section is very heavily infested with several bad spots in the Center and West. The South and East with scattered nests will be in the same condition in 1939 if not looked after. A scouting project was sent in in September but hasn't come through as yet. This is a very important part of the work for we can find and book the bad colonies for spraying and parasitizing.

The Tent caterpillar was very plentiful the past year but did not find any Brown Tail moths.

I would recommend an appropriation of \$1,400.00.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF FISH AND GAME WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Fish and Game Warden the following report is submitted for the year ending December 31, 1937.

During the year fifteen complaints were received and investigated. A total of 482 hours of patrol work was done in Tewksbury.

1000 Brown Trout ranging from six to eight inches in length were placed in the Shawsheen River.

A number of Pheasants were also liberated in covers in Tewksbury.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES D. PHILLIPS,

Fish and Game Warden.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden, I submit the following:

In the Spring of 1937 with plenty of rain our beautiful trees got a fine start with the finest foliage seen in years. This continued till June when a drought lasting several weeks took its toll and by the middle of July many started to shed their leaves. The Elm seemed to be affected more than other trees. This of course has left them in a weakened condition and they should be sprayed to suppress the Elm Tree Beetle. Some feeding of this pest was noted in the West, Centre and North Sections. No Dutch Elm disease was found in 1937.

Am pleased to report brush was cut on all accepted streets. Many were cut the full width but all curves were cut far enough back to give an unobstructed view for at least 200 feet. Of course the cutting of these curves was done outside the highway bounds on private property. Permission had to be obtained from the land-owner, thanks to them in each case it was granted. If the W.P.A. continues an effort should be made to put there a project for the filling of cavities. We should also appropriate a small sum each year to replace trees removed and to fill in open spaces on our streets that our scenery would be even more beautiful. I recommend an appropriation of \$1600.00.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Selectmen of Tewksbury:

Sirs:

Following is the report for the Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1937.

| | No. Sealed |
|--|------------|
| Platform scales over 5000 lbs. | 3 |
| Platform scales 100 lbs. to 5000 lbs. | 8 |
| Counter scales under 100 lbs. | 1 |
| Spring scales over 100 lbs. | 1 |
| Spring scales under 100 lbs. | 25 |
| Computing scales under 100 lbs. | 10 |
| Avoirdupois weights | 33 |
| Liquid measures | 5 |
| Gasoline pump, No. of stops | 45 |
| Gasoline Meas. Meters | 20 |
| Kerosene Pumps | 3 |

Turned over to the Town Treasurer \$30.78 in fees.

Respectfully submitted,

D. J. CAMERON,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Chief of the Fire Department, I herewith submit the following report:

| | |
|--|-----|
| Total number of fires attended | 173 |
| Forest Fires | 78 |
| Grass Fires | 63 |
| Building Fires | 10 |
| Chimney Fires | 6 |
| Automobiles Fires | 5 |
| Out of Town Fires | 2 |
| False Alarms | 3 |
| Pole and Tree Fires caused from electric wires.... | 6 |

Total value on buildings and contents: Eighteen thousand, two hundred and fifty dollars (\$18,250.00). Damage: Thirteen thousand and thirty seven dollars (\$13,037.00). Insurance paid: Thirteen thousand and thirty-seven dollars (\$13,037.00).

Laid 6,450 feet of 2½ inch hose, 19,200 feet of 1½ inch hose, 8,050 feet of 1 inch hose, and 5,150 feet of ¾ inch hose. Used 56 extinguishers and 138 Indian cans. Raised 284 feet of ladders and traveled 549 miles to fires.

Personal property and real estate of the department, thirty-two thousand, five hundred dollars (\$32,500.00).

Yours respectfully,

ALDEN S. HAINES,
Chief of Fire Department.

TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1938

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Street Lighting | \$ 5,600.00 |
| Incidentals | 1,000.00 |
| Highways | 17,000.00 |
| Schools | 57,550.00 |
| Library (Dog Tax) | 1,250.00 |
| Police | 6,000.00 |
| Stationery and Printing | 1,000.00 |
| Board of Health | 1,200.00 |
| Park Commission | 200.00 |
| Tree Warden | 1,600.00 |
| Department of Public Welfare..... | 12,500.00 |
| Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants)..... | 2,500.00 |
| Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants)..... | 8,500.00 |
| Fire Department | 5,000.00 |
| Town Hall | 4,300.00 |
| Assessors | 2,300.00 |
| Vocational School | 900.00 |
| Inspection of Meats and Animals..... | 600.00 |
| Aid, State and Military | 2,500.00 |
| Interest on Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Collection of Taxes | 2,000.00 |
| Municipal Insurance | 1,500.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 225.00 |
| Dog Officer | 100.00 |
| Maintenance, Legion Headquarters | 125.00 |
| Road Machinery Maintenance Fund | 1,000.00 |
| Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths | 1,400.00 |
| Park Department | 200.00 |

Salary Account

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Auditor | \$ 500.00 |
| Town Clerk (exclusive of fees) | 500.00 |
| Treasurer | 700.00 |
| Tax Collector | 2,000.00 |
| Selectmen | 800.00 |
| Road Commissioners | 300.00 |
| School Committee | 225.00 |
| Election Officers | 90.00 |
| Board of Registers | 150.00 |

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

The past year has been a most constructive one. In February two boxes were sent to the south part of the town. The one at Birchhoff's bakery is well patronized and meets a definite need.

The library was opened on Wednesday afternoons from 1.45 until 4 o'clock in order that the high school students might have access to the books we are constantly adding for their benefit.

The report of the Librarian shows that 470 books have been added and that the circulation of magazines has greatly increased some periodicals are in such demand that two copies are necessary.

Our thanks are due the librarians and her assistants for the faithful performance of their duties and also to the patrons for their cooperation.

It is hoped that the request for \$1250.00 found in the warrant, together with money received from dog licenses be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY PRIESTLY,
RUTH W. SMITH,
DOROTHY FITZGERALD,
HAROLD J. PATTEN,
MARIAN E. FRENCH,
EDGAR SMITH,

Trustees.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

The circulation of books at the library and in the districts and also that of the magazines shows a marked increase.

Four boxes are now sent twice a month to the following sections,—Wamesit, Ella E. Fleming School, Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald's and the Silver Lake Bakery.

In February the library was opened Wednesday afternoons from 1.45 to 4.00 so that High School pupils from various parts of the town might obtain books. Many have taken advantage of this opportunity.

One donation of books has been received. Books have been purchased on request, others have been borrowed from the State Lending Library.

The library is open Wednesday afternoons, 1.45 to 4.00 and Wednesday evenings 7.00 to 8.30. Saturdays 2.00 to 9.00. Library closed on legal holidays and the last two Saturdays in August.

The librarians request all patrons to return books promptly thus enabling them to keep their files up-to-date.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday Afternoons

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| Fiction | 1072 | Religion | 0 |
| History | 4 | Sociology | 1 |
| Literature | 22 | Science | 6 |
| Travel | 17 | Poetry | 6 |
| Arts | 26 | Philosophy | 3 |
| Biography | 26 | Total | 1183 |

Wednesday Evenings

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| Fiction | 3110 | Religion | 3 |
| History | 27 | Sociology | 9 |
| Literature | 9 | Science | 21 |
| Travel | 37 | Poetry | 10 |
| Arts | 38 | Philosophy | 14 |
| Biography | 27 | Total | 3305 |

Saturdays

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|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| Fiction | 10022 | Religion | 16 |
| History | 57 | Sociology | 30 |
| Literature | 26 | Science | 67 |
| Travel | 130 | Poetry | 55 |
| Arts | 160 | Philosophy | 36 |
| Biography | 86 | Total | 10685 |

Wednesdays and Saturdays, 15, 173

Total Circulation, Library and Districts, 18,434

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

Wamesit

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|------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| Fiction | 838 | Religion | |
| History | 1 | Sociology | 2 |
| Literature | 1 | Science | 1 |
| Travel | 8 | Poetry | |
| Arts | 2 | Philosophy | 4 |
| Biography | 1 | Total | 858 |

Ella E. Flemings School

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|------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| Fiction | 753 | Religion | 1 |
| History | 18 | Sociology | 10 |
| Literature | 2 | Science | 16 |
| Travel | 16 | Poetry | 11 |
| Arts | 39 | Philosophy | |
| Biography | 3 | Total | 869 |

Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

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|------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| Fiction | 817 | Religion | |
| History | 2 | Sociology | 2 |
| Literature | 2 | Science | 2 |
| Travel | 10 | Poetry | 2 |
| Arts | 6 | Philosophy | 1 |
| Biography | 20 | Total | 864 |

Silver Lake Bakery

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|------------------|-----|------------------|-----|
| Fiction | 668 | Religion | |
| History | | Sociology | |
| Literature | | Science | |
| Travel | 2 | Poetry | |
| Arts | | Philosophy | |
| Biography | | Total | 670 |

Total Circulation in Districts, 3,261

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| American | 29 | Ladies' Home Journal..... | 39 |
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| Harper's | 35 | Others | 18 |
| House Beautiful | 52 | Total | 1224 |

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 Abbott, Jane. Angels May Weep.
 Aldis, Dorothy. Time At Her Heels.
 Allee, Marjorie Hill. The Great Tradition.
 Ambler, Eric. Background to Danger.
 Angeli, De Marguerite. Henner's Lydia.
 Ashbrook, H. Murder Makes Murder.
 Babcock, Bernie. Little Dixie Devil.
 Baldwin, Faith. That Man Is Mine.
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 Bailey, Temple. I've Been to London.
 Barbour, Ralph H. The Score Is Tied.
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 Bennet, Robert Ames. Hot Lead.
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Binns, Archie. The Laurels Are Cut Down.
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 Blake, George. The Shipbuilder.
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 Brand, Max. The Streak.
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 Browne, Eleanor. Highway to Romance.
 Burroughs, Edgar Rice. Back to the Stone Age.
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 Churchill, Winston. The Crisis.
 Clason, Clyde B. The Purple Parrot.
 Cloete, Stuart. The Turning Wheels.
 Cobb, Irvin S. Judge Priest Turns Detective.
 Cohen, Octavus Roy. I Love You Again.
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Yours respectfully,

ABBIE M. BLAISDELL,

Librarian.

TEWKSBURY POLICE DEPARTMENT

1937

CYRIL L. BARKER, Chief

CHESTER E. BURGESS
LAUCHIE McPHAIL
ROSS SARGENT

C. ABBOTT BATTLES
DANIEL J. STERLING
JOSEPH VIVIER

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1937

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Tewksbury Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1937.

Total number of arrests: 100.

| Crimes against Person: | (M) | (F) |
|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Assault | 6 | |
| Murder, Assault to, and Attempt..... | 1 | |
| Murder, Conspiring to | 3 | 1 |
| | — | — |
| Total | 10 | 1 |

| Crimes against Property: | |
|---|----|
| Arson, Chap. 48, Sec. 13 | 3 |
| Breaking and Entering and Larceny | 2 |
| Larceny and Attempt | 12 |
| | — |
| Total | 17 |

| Crimes against Public Order: | | |
|---|----|---|
| Disturbing the Peace | 2 | |
| Driving a motor vehicle to endanger life..... | 1 | |
| Driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated..... | 1 | |
| Drunkenness | 27 | |
| Illegitimate Child Act Violated | 5 | |
| Lewdness | 2 | |
| Liquor Law, Violated | 1 | |
| Motor Vehicle Laws, Violating | 5 | |
| Neglect or desertion of family, Non-Support..... | 2 | |
| Stubbornness | 2 | |
| Safe-keeping | 1 | |
| Violation of Probation | 1 | 1 |
| Absconding from State Infirmary, and afterwards Soliciting Charity | 21 | |
| | — | — |
| Total | 71 | 1 |

Recapitulation:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----|---------|
| 1. Against person | 10 | 1 |
| 2. Against property | 17 | |
| 3. Against public order | 71 | 1 |
| | — | — |
| Total | 98 | 2 (100) |

Disposition of Cases:

Lowell District Court

| | |
|--|----|
| Gilty | 65 |
| Gilty and Appealed, or Held by Court for Superior Court | 20 |
| Not Gilty | 1 |
| Discharged or Released by Probation Officer | 8 |
| Fined | 6 |
| Committed | 23 |
| Placed on Probation or Case Filed..... | 30 |
| Pending or No Record | 5 |

Superior Court, East Cambridge:

| | |
|---|----|
| Gilty | 13 |
| Not Gilty | 1 |
| Fined | 6 |
| Committed | 6 |
| Placed on Probation or Case Filed | 5 |
| No Record | 1 |

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| Session of District Court Attended | 112 |
| Session of Superior Court Attended | 22 |
| Telephone Calls received at Office | 2728 |
| Telephone Calls received at Chief's Home | 1341 |
| Complaints Received and Investigated | 724 |
| Accidents Investigated | 48 |
| Poles and Wires down and Street Lights out, reported to Electric Light Company | 11 |
| Doors, Windows, etc., found open or unlocked on Beat in Center.... | 55 |
| Fires Attended | 9 |
| Persons Reported Missing | 8 |
| Messages Delivered | 40 |
| Private Hearings Held at Office | 47 |
| Public Functions "Covered" | 27 |
| Funerals at which traffic work was done | 5 |
| Autos checked for Licenses and Registrations | 575 |
| Sudden Deaths Investigated | 7 |
| Investigations for other Law Enforcement Departments | 17 |
| Arrests for Other Departments | 6 |

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|---|--------|
| Summons Served for Other Departments | 40 |
| Investigations with Federal Officers | 2 |
| Out of Town Investigating | 17 |
| Auto Registrations recovered for Registrar | 5 |
| Commitments to Westboro | 2 |
| Committments to Westboro | 2 |
| Transported to Hospital | 18 |
| Transported for Welfare Department | 8 |
| Dogs reported hit by machines | 15 |
| Calls received for Dog Officer | 28 |
| Checks made of Licensed Liquor Establishments | 93 |
| Automobile Transfers received | 51 |
| Miles travelled in Police work | 18,861 |

At this time I wish to acknowledge the splendid co-operation extended me by the Honorable Board of Selectmen, and the citizens of the Town of Tewksbury, and commend my brother officers for their loyalty and untiring efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE W. P. A. SPONSOR'S AGENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Works Progress Administration paid approximately \$53,812.64 for wages to workers in the Town of Tewksbury in 1937. At the present time 67 families are deriving benefits through the Works Progress Administration.

During the past year the following work has been done:

ROAD WORK

Foster Street 1.2 miles widened and graveled.

Pinnacle Street 1.3 miles widened and graveled.

Whipple Street, work has just been started on this road.

WATERHOLES

During the year seven waterholes were constructed at the following locations:

Whipple Road, near Osterman's.

South Street, near O'Neil's.

Smith Street, near Foster's Land.

Vale Street, near Poore's.

Shawsheen Street, near Petraites.

McLaren Road, in McLarenville.

East Street, near Martel's.

There are three holes yet to be built.

HIGH SCHOOL

During the year considerable work was done at the High School and at the Athletic Field adjoining the High School. The roadway around the school was completed and oiled. Several adjoining areas to the High School were filled to grade and the tennis court topping was completed making an excellent surface for the tennis players. At the Athletic Field the playing surface was completed and brought to grade, was also fertilized and seeded. The baseball diamond was completed and the baseball backstop erected. At the present time work is being carried on to complete the Athletic Field and if continued, should be ready to play baseball this coming spring and football in the fall.

PEST CONTROL WORK

A Pest Control project was operated for the suppression of Gypsy and Browntail Moth, 13,000 acres were scouted.

SEWING UNIT

A group of women have been employed during the year making garments to be distributed to the needy.

WHITE COLLAR PROJECTS

A project employing seven persons has been in operation the greater part of the year, numbering all lots and parcels of land to perfect a system of house numbering.

SIDEWALKS

Sidewalks have been constructed during the year in the Center, Wamesit and South Sections of the Town. They are of great value keeping school children off the highway.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

The NYA Library Project was completed in January, 1937, the following work having been done:

Inventory of the entire library was taken and every book checked with the catalogue. Additional cards have been made when necessary. All sections have been re-arranged alphabetically. Biographies have been re-arranged, bringing lives of individuals together. Fiction cards have been filed alphabetically, and a new charging system has been installed. In addition approximately 1500 books were mended and repaired.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH H. WHITEHEAD,

Sponsor's Agent.

REPORT OF THE BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The total number of cases active as of December 31, 1937 is 47, an increase of 22 during the year. At present there is one application pending. The actual expense of these 47 cases will be \$14,988.00 during the year 1938 and allowing for a normal increase, the expense to the Department will amount to approximately \$16,500.00. Of this sum there will be available Federal Grants amounting to approximately \$8,100.00, leaving the balance to be financed by the Town.

An appropriation of \$8,500.00 is asked for the Table of Estimates of this sum it is anticipated that \$5,600.00 will be at some future date reimbursed by the Commonwealth, leaving a net cost to the Department of \$2,900.00.

There is at present in the Legislature, a bill to change the manner by which Old Age reimbursements are made, making them available for the needs of the local bureaus, but it would not be safe to reduce this year's appropriation as we have no way of knowing when the bill will be passed, or when it will become effective.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

| | | |
|--|----|-----------|
| Balance carried forward from 1936 | \$ | 279.93 |
| Appropriation for 1937 | | 6,000.00 |
| Transferred from Reserve Fund | | 1,000.00 |
| Received, Federal Grants | | 5,633.17 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Total Funds Available | \$ | 12,913.10 |
| Expended as Per Auditor's Report | | 12,658.06 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Balance to be carried forward to 1938 | \$ | 255.04 |
| Collected by the Department during the year: | | |
| Commonwealth | \$ | 1,927.94 |
| Town of Dracut | | 60.67 |
| Town of Stoneham | | 43.92 |
| Town of Wilmington | | 21.00 |
| Town of Winthrop | | 22.50 |
| City of Everett | | 30.00 |
| City of Lowell | | 40.00 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Total | \$ | 2,146.03 |
| Estimated amounts due this Department: | | |
| Commonwealth | \$ | 3,160.90 |
| Town of Dracut | | 50.00 |

| | |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Town of Wilmington | 37.66 |
| Town of Winthrop | 40.00 |
| City of Everett | 20.00 |
| City of Lowell | 22.50 |
| City of Somerville | 13.74 |

Total \$ 3,344.80

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING,
IRVING F. FRENCH,
HERBERT L. TRULL,

Bureau of Old Age Assistance.

REPORT OF THE SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT

During the year eleven families representing fifty-four persons, were aided by the Soldiers' Relief Department.

The Soldiers' Relief situation has been aided by Veterans' preference, when certification was reopened for persons eligible for W.P.A. employment.

Respectfully submitted,

IRVING F. FRENCH,
EVERETT H. KING,
HERBERT L. TRULL,

Soldiers' Relief Dept.

REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Board of Selectmen,
Tewksbury, Mass.
Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1937.

CHAPTER 81, AND GENERAL HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

Our Highway Department has carried out the usual working program, which includes the patching, graveling and bituminous treatment of the streets. All roads newly built in 1936 and 1937 are standing up well, due to the fact that they have had a good foundation.

A number of the new streets accepted in 1936 have been graveled and have received an application of tar. Through the cooperation of our tree warden, brush cutting has made considerable improvement on these streets.

Bound stones have been set on the following streets:

| | |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Glenwood Road | Maplewood Avenue |
| Florence Avenue | Adams Street |
| Clyde Street | McLaren Road |
| Warren Road | Mystic Avenue |
| School Street | Bond Street |
| Parker Avenue | Helvetia Street |
| McEvoy Avenue | Texas Road |

This setting of bound stones is an essential matter, as it eliminates any boundary line dispute, which might occur in the future.

The Farm to Market Roads, a W. P. A. project, is proving to be a worthy method of building up some of our poorer streets. The town owned trucks, which are used on W. P. A. projects, have been available for this work. Our department also furnishes trucks and all material used. We fully appreciate the splendid cooperation given by our selectmen and our W. P. A. administrator, Mr. Whitehead, as well as the work of the W. P. A. employees.

Considering the fact that practically every surrounding town has had a part time schedule in their Highway Department, we are pleased to report that all of the men employed in our Highway Department have had steady work, with the exception of a partial layoff of thirteen days during the month of December.

The following tables give the amount of material used on the various streets during the year 1937.

TAR AND SAND

| Street | Tar | Sand |
|-------------------------|-------|----------|
| | GALS. | CU. YDS. |
| Trull Street | 5769 | 152 |
| Clark Road | 2328 | 78 |
| Astle Street | 2327 | 60 |
| French Street | 1147 | 14 |
| Roger Street | 2264 | 46 |
| Marsden Street | 1128 | 18 |
| Pleasant Street | 6491 | 149 |
| Fiske Street | 1361 | 24 |
| Livingston Street | 8154 | 190 |
| Shawsheen Street | 8841 | 272 |
| Bridge Street | 999 | 26 |
| River Road | 4546 | 74 |
| Barker Road | 1045 | 22 |
| Carter Street | 1018 | 16 |
| Cross Street | 2034 | 44 |
| Foster Street | 6284 | 96 |
| Billerica Street | 2337 | 40 |
| Chapman Street | 2436 | 58 |
| East Street | 2299 | 54 |
| Andover Street | 2260 | 46 |
| Whipple Road | 2922 | 86 |
| North Street | 5698 | 250 |
| Salem Street | 1132 | 26 |
| Woburn Street | 1149 | 24 |
| Florence Avenue | 1145 | 18 |
| Glenwood Road | 400 | 6 |
| Adams Street | 300 | 4 |
| Elm Street | 300 | 4 |
| Maplewood Avenue | 450 | 7 |
| Vernon Street | 1197 | 18 |
| Clyde Avenue | 300 | 4 |
| Mystic Avenue | 800 | 10 |
| Bond Street | 500 | 6 |
| Willow Street | 358 | 5 |
| Hood Road | 1623 | 38 |
| Bailey Road | 600 | 10 |
| Town Yard | 5780 | 340 |
| Sand for Ice | | 78 |

GRAVEL

| Street | Cu. Yds. | | |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------------------|------|
| Clyde Avenue | 54 | Maplewood Avenue | 214 |
| Florence Avenue | 912 | Walnut Street | 278 |
| Pringle Street | 656 | Texas Road | 424 |
| Birch Street | 162 | Parker Avenue | 368 |
| Glenwood Avenue | 248 | Water Street | 278 |
| School Street | 247 | South Street | 152 |
| Adams Street | 396 | Whittemore Street | 342 |
| East Street | 528 | Bond Street | 238 |
| Willow Street | 334 | Mystic Avenue | 250 |
| Trull Street | 597 | Pleasant Street | 1344 |
| North Street | 5591 | Fiske Street | 298 |
| Helvetia Street | 584 | Vernon Street | 160 |
| Livingston Street | 104 | Elm Street | 54 |
| Foster Street | 348 | Pond Street | 62 |
| Whipple Road | 12 | State Street | 20 |
| McLaren Road | 30 | Andover Street | 490 |
| Pinnacle Street | 3138 | Whipple Road | 586 |

CULVERTS, CATCH BASINS AND PIPES

New Corrugated metal culverts, catch basins and pipe were installed on the following streets:

| Street | Kind | Diameter in Inches | Location |
|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---|
| North Street | Corr. Paved Coated | 18 | 300 Ft. south of Ames' |
| North Street | Corr. Paved Coated | 12 | Near Carson's Res. |
| North Street | Corr. Paved Coated | 12 | Near Battle's Farm |
| North Street | Corr. Paved Coated | 12 | Between Philip and Abbott Battles's Res. |
| Cross Street | Corr. Paved Coated | 12 | Between Gray's and Dutch's Res. |
| East Street | Corr. Paved Coated | 12 | Near Moore's Store |
| Pleasant Street | Catch Basin | | Near Pillsbury's Res. |
| Pleasant Street | Catch Basin | | Near Aubut's Res. |
| Pleasant Street | Catch Basin | | Near McGowan's Res. |
| Pleasant Street | Catch Basin | | Near the Parsonage |
| Pleasant Street | Catch Basin | | Cor. of Dewey St. |
| Pleasant Street | Catch Basin | | Cor. of Summer St. |
| North Street | Catch Basin | | Near Battle's Farm |
| North Street | Catch Basin | | Near A. Battle's Res. |

| | | |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| North Street | Catch Basin | Near P. Battie's Res. |
| North Street | Catch Basin | Near Farwell's Res. |
| North Street | Catch Basin | Near Clough's Res. |
| North Street | 370 Ft. 6 In. Vitrified Clay Pipe | |
| North Street | 865 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe | |
| Pleasant Street | 840 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe | |
| Common Street | 306 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe | |

BRIDGE REPAIR AND CONSTRUCTION

At our last town meeting, \$1000. was appropriated for the construction of a new bridge on Bridge Street, and to repair the bridge on Mill Street. All timber used in constructing the Bridge Street bridge was treated under pressure with Grade A creosote, six pounds to the cubic foot. This treatment adds greatly to the life of the wood. In repairing the Mill Street bridge, it was necessary to purchase timber thirty-two and thirty-four feet in length. We had difficulty in getting suitable lumber until late in December. This bridge will soon be completed.

PLEASANT STREET, CHAPTER 90

On Pleasant Street we had one contract for construction. This construction extended from the Flucker residence to the residence of Mr. Gale, a distance of 1500 feet. This contract called for a twenty-four foot, bituminous treated, gravel road, with proper drainage.

MAINTENANCE, CHAPTER 90

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 was carried out under the provisions of this allotment. All of our Chapter 90 highways are in good condition. The shoulders on all macadam roads were maintained in good order during the year. Owing to the increase in the mileage of our Chapter 90 roads, we are asking for \$500. more than previous years.

NORTH STREET, CHAPTER 90

On North Street we had three allotments for construction. The first started at Andover Street and extended 3600 feet. After we had started work, we found that in addition to the estimate given there was 166 cubic yards of ledge to be removed and 52 cubic yards of trench excavating. We also had to purchase 100 feet more of plain concrete pipe for drainage and 630 feet of cable. The cost of this extra material and work amounted to \$900.

Through the cooperation of our selectmen \$225. was taken from the welfare appropriation, which was used entirely for welfare employment on North Street. With this \$225., we were given a second allotment from

the State of \$450. and \$225., from the County. This allotment totalling \$900. enabled us to complete our work.

The following is the state engineer's estimate for the completion of 3600 feet on North Street.

| Description | Quantity | Price Per | Amount |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Excavation | 1760 cu. yds. | \$.50 | \$ 880.00 |
| Ledge | 616 cu. yds. | 2.50 | 1,540.00 |
| Ord. Borrow | 212 cu. yds. | .50 | 106.00 |
| Plain Conc. Masonry..... | 2 cu. yds. | 15.00 | 30.00 |
| Bituminous Material | 5800 gals. | .12 | 696.00 |
| 12 in. Plain Conc. Pipe | 865 lin. ft. | .55 | 477.75 |
| 12 in. B. C. C. Pipe | 72 lin. ft. | 1.40 | 100.80 |
| 18 in. B. C. C. Pipe | 38 lin. ft. | 2.50 | 95.00 |
| Catch Basin | 5 each | 60.00 | 300.00 |
| 6 in. Side Drains | 370 lin. ft. | 1.15 | 425.50 |
| Removal of trees | 18 each | 20.00 | 360.00 |
| Gravel Borrow | 2500 cu. yds. | .60 | 1,500.00 |
| Sand | 90 cu. yds. | 1.75 | 157.50 |
| Gravel Surfacing | 2000 cu. yds. | .70 | 1,400.00 |
| Cable Guard Rail | 670 lin. ft. | .60 | 402.00 |
| Trench Excavating | 732 cu. yds. | 1.00 | 732.00 |
| Pea Gravel | 100 tons | 2.00 | 200.00 |
| Total..... | | | <u>\$9,402.55</u> |

On December 18, due to the cooperation of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works, the County Commissioners and our Selectmen, we were granted a third allotment of \$650. for an extension of 400 feet on North Street. We received \$250. from the state, \$200. from the county, and \$200. from the welfare appropriation. This \$200. was used solely for welfare labor.

During the construction of North Street, a large quantity of loam and ledge had to be removed. We felt that the most practical method of removing it was to hire a steam shovel. This was done and proved to be a large saving for us. As a great amount of gravel was needed in the building of this road, we were very fortunate in purchasing gravel, loaded on our trucks, at 18 cents per yard. Gravel purchased and loaded by hand labor would have cost us at least 40 cents per yard.

In order to continue the construction on North Street, we are asking for an appropriation of \$2500. to be used with any state and county money allotted.

For a financial report of the department we refer you to the auditor's report of highway expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, State and County officials, and engineers for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER,
JOHN T. GALE,
CHESTER M. ROPER,

Road Commissioners of Tewksbury.

DANIEL STERLING,
Superintendent of Streets.

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

Committee on

AUTO INSURANCE RATES—FIRE INSURANCE RATES

TELEPHONE RATES

To the Voters of the Town of Tewksbury:

Your Special Committee has continued its work on the Telephone Rate situation extensively during the past year. There have been four Public Hearings held in Boston in regards to the Telephone rates in Tewksbury.

Three hearings were held before the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities at 100 Nashua Street, Boston. At the first Public hearing March 8th your committee presented the Town's case in detail and the Telephone Company presented their case like wise. The commissioners at the hearing were most attentive to the details of the issue.

On November 8th the Department of Public Utilities reopened the case with the second Public Hearing. The Department had since the first hearing in March made an extensive study of the situation in Tewksbury, as to the kind of service and the cost of the service that was being provided in the mileage area. It was brought out by the Telephone Company at this time that our case was not simply a local one but one that if decided in the favor of Tewksbury would effect the entire State. At the request of the Telephone Company the Hearing was adjourned for two weeks.

At the third Hearing the Telephone Company brought in rebuttal figures. After much cross examining by the commissioners the hearing was adjourned and the whole matter taken under consideration.

Your committee wishes to publicly thank those citizens that took time to attend all three of these hearings. Their support to the cause was very much appreciated.

On March 10th your committee appeared before the Joint Committee on rules in the General Court to present the Telephone situation as it is in Tewksbury. This hearing was arranged by Senator Cotton. It resulted in nothing of value.

It is with regret that we can not report definite results at the time of writing this report.

We are certain that the Department of Public Utilities understands the case thoroughly. The State Department has spent a great deal of time and money on this case and we feel reasonably confident that Tewksbury will have a better Telephone situation soon.

Your committee feels that if the decision from the Department of Public Utilities is not delivered before Town Meeting that it would be advisable to continue for another year. If the decision is rendered before Town Meeting we feel that this committee should be dissolved as it was not intended that this committee should be anything of a permanent nature.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. CARTER, Chairman
HAROLD F. SMITH.

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

JURY LIST, 1937

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| AMIOT, LOUIS H | Mill Operative |
| ANDERSON, ADELBERT H. | Milkman |
| BAILEY, WILLIAM I. | Garage Owner |
| BATTLES, C. ABBOTT | Farmer |
| BEAN, WINTHROP S. | Mill Operative |
| BENNETT, WILLIAM H. | Manufacturer |
| BERUBE, LOUIS O. | Agent |
| BRIGGS, HARRIS M. | Supt. Moth Dept. |
| BUCHANAN, MALCOLM D. | Poultryman |
| CAMERON, DUNCAN J. | Milk Dealer |
| CARTER, WILLIAM I. | Farmer |
| CLUFF, VICTOR N. | Farm Supt. |
| COLLINS, LESLIE | Laborer |
| DEWING, WILLIAM H. | Carpenter |
| DUGAU, FRED A. | Mill Operative |
| FARWELL, WALLACE I. | Carpenter |
| FAIRBROTHER, HERBERT A. | Supervisor |
| FRENCH, IRVING F. | Farmer |
| FRENCH, JESSE J. | Farmer |
| GRAY, GUY B. | Clerk |
| HACKER, CHARLES T. | Porter |
| HEIDENRICH, CARL | Poultryman |
| HOULIHAN, JEREMIAH J. | Laborer |
| JOHNSON, NILS A. | Farmer |
| KELLY, ANTHONY | Watchman |
| KELLEY, JOHN H. | Railroad Employee |
| KING, E. HOWARD | Farmer |
| McPHAIL, LAUCHIE | Laborer |
| MOORE, ADOLPH B. | Grocer |
| PATTEN, HAROLD J. | Florist |
| REID, ROBERT | Poultryman |
| SHEEHAN, JAMES D. | Farmer |
| SMITH, EDWARD H. | Florist |
| STAVELEY, ROBERT | Janitor |
| STRECKWALD J. ELMER | Florist |
| TEAL, IRVING | Foreman |
| TRULL, HERBERT L. | Salesman |

TRULL, JOHN ARTHURFarmer
WILLIAMS, CHARLES D.Farmer
WINTERS, EUGENE C.Laborer

IRVING F. FRENCH,

E. HOWARD KING,

HERBERT L. TRULL.

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

REPORT OF CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

Tewksbury, December 15, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

As caretaker of the Soldiers' Lot, I submit the following:

During the summer the lot has been mowed and raked, as often as was needed.

During the summer, all government stones were re-set in cement, and are now lined up, and set to government specifications. Cement foundations have been placed under the wheels and trail of the field piece.

I extend my thanks to you for your co-operation.

Respectfully yours,

WINTHROP S. JONES,

Caretaker of Soldiers' Lot.

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

To the Board of Health of the Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

As your Agent the following is my report for the year ending December 31, 1937.

Contagious Diseases

| Diseases | No. of | No. of |
|----------------------|--------|--------|
| | Cases | Deaths |
| Tuberculosis | 4 | 0 |
| Pneumonia | 8 | 2 |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Measles | 5 | 0 |
| Chicken Pox | 4 | 0 |
| Dog Bite | 15 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Whooping Cough | 10 | 0 |
| Total | 49 | 2 |

As years go by the Health Department is faced with new problems, which increase the expense of operation.

The "Dog bite" situation gives us the present need for warning our tax payers. Each year we are getting increasing numbers of reported cases. The new county regulations governing these cases has been changed the past year and now stipulates, that all cases, wherein the dog reported is not licensed according to law, no reimbursement will be made to the town. Since a large proportion of such cases are in this class the Health Department is considering a round up of such dogs, as are not licensed and will either bring action against said owners or destroy the animals if no owners are found.

As in past years we have suggested that the law governing the sale of milk in stores, road-side stands and bakeries requires a license annually, and said permit is obtained after filing an application. These applications are obtainable from the Board of Health. If an inspector either State or local, calls at such a place of business, and no permit is displayed, said owner is subject to prosecution. This is in the nature of a protective suggestion.

The water situation in the Town of Tewksbury is one for consideration. On account of our geological position, it is stated and backed by findings, that 90% of samples of water sent from Tewksbury for analysis are considered unfit for drinking purposes but as is further stated by the examining chemists are not essentially dangerous. I believe that if the Town expects development in the future a Town supply of good water is it's most successful qualification.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D., Agent

REPORT OF THE AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS
FOR THE TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

From October 22, 1933 to August 23, 1937

November 23, 1937.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Mr. Irving F. French, Chairman,
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from October 22, 1933 to August 23, 1937, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,
Director of Accounts.

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell,
Director of Accounts,
Department of Corporation and Taxation,
State House, Boston.

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from October 22, 1933, the date of the previous audit, to August 23, 1937, and submit the following report thereon:

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked for the period of the audit.

A cash shortage in the amount of \$32,147.14 as of August 23, 1937, was disclosed in the accounts of Robert W. Barron, tax collector, who, at the commencement of this audit, resigned from office.

This shortage consists of 786 items of the tax levies of 1933 to 1937, inclusive, which were collected from taxpayers by the tax collector but not accounted for or paid over by him to the town. The aggregate of these items amounting to \$35,144.15 is reduced by \$3,997.01, the sum of an unclassified payment to the treasurer and the available cash in the collector's hands subsequently paid to the town, leaving a net cash shortage of \$32,147.14 as of August 23, 1937.

Of the above mentioned 786 items, 761 items totalling \$35,395.27 consist of tax stubs presented by the tax collector to the accountants and entered by him in the cash books on August 25, 1937; 16 items totalling \$547.88 consist of additional stubs presented by the tax collector on September 7, 1937; and 9 items totalling \$201.00 comprise the additional collections per proofs of payment submitted by taxpayers in reply to verification notices.

A number of other claims of payment, which have not been allowed pending proof of payment by the taxpayers, will, if proved, correspondingly increase the amount of the cash shortage.

Following is a table showing a reconciliation of the tax collector's cash and summary of the cash discrepancy as of August 23, 1937, the net shortage of \$32,147.14 being classified by dates of collection:

RECONCILIATION OF TAX COLLECTOR'S CASH

and

CASH DISCREPANCY, ROBERT W. BARRON, COLLECTOR

| Collections per stubs presented and entered by collector in cash books on Aug. 25, '37: | No. of Items | Levy | Poll | Property | Excise | Interest | Costs | Total | Collection Date | | |
|--|--------------------|------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|---------|-------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | | | | | | | | | Feb. 5, 1936 to Feb. 2, 1937 | Feb. 3, 1937 to Aug. 23, 1937 | |
| | 1 | 1933 | | | | | | | | | |
| | 14 | 1934 | \$4.00 | \$856.67 | \$6.57 | \$18.62 | | \$18.62 | | \$18.62 | |
| | 89 | 1935 | 8.00 | 4,019.53 | 9.90 | 188.90 | | 1,056.14 | 904.96 | 151.18 | |
| | 262 | 1936 | 20.00 | 20,236.35 | 39.04 | 294.36 | \$9.00 | 4,340.79 | 953.26 | 3,387.53 | |
| | 395 | 1937 | 114.00 | 8,460.20 | 811.83 | 296.48 | 1.05 | 20,592.92 | 12,442.00 | 8,150.92 | |
| | | | | | | .77 | | 9,386.80 | | 9,386.80 | |
| Total | 761 | | \$146.00 | \$33,572.75 | \$867.34 | \$799.13 | \$10.05 | \$35,395.27 | \$14,300.22 | \$21,095.05 | |
| Collections per stubs | | | | | | | | | | | |
| presented by collector | | | | | | | | | | | |
| on September 7, 1937: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 7 | 1935 | \$2.00 | \$249.16 | | \$28.92 | \$.35 | \$280.43 | | \$280.43 | |
| | 9 | 1936 | | 248.92 | \$11.45 | 7.08 | | 267.45 | | 267.45 | |
| Total | 16 | | \$2.00 | \$498.08 | \$11.45 | \$36.00 | \$.35 | \$547.88 | | \$547.88 | |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|------|--------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|--|---------|
| Additional collections | | | | | | | | | |
| per proof of payment | | | | | | | | | |
| submitted by taxpayers: | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 1934 | \$2.00 | \$156.20 | \$11.80 | \$170.00 | \$170.00 | | | |
| 1 | 1936 | | 25.00 | | 25.00 | | | | \$25.00 |
| 3 | 1937 | 6.00 | | | 6.00 | | | | 6.00 |
| Total | | 9 | \$8.00 | \$181.20 | \$11.80 | \$201.00 | \$170.00 | | \$31.00 |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--|-----|----------|-------------|----------|---------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Gross amount due from | | | | | | | | | |
| collector August 23, | | | | | | | | | |
| 1937, per tables: | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total | | 786 | \$156.00 | \$34,252.03 | \$846.93 | \$10.40 | \$36,144.15 | \$14,470.22 | \$21,673.93 |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Deduct: | | | | | | | | | |
| Unclassified payment to treasurer August 23, 1937, | | | | | | | 2,350.00 | | 2,350.00 |
| Cash on hand August 23, 1937: | | | | | | | | | |
| Paid to treasurer August 25, 1937, | | | | | | | 1,516.47 | | 1,516.47 |
| Paid to treasurer September 7, 1937, | | | | | | | 130.54 | | 130.54 |
| Cash Shortage August 23, 1937, | | | | | | | \$32,147.14 | \$14,470.22 | \$17,676.92 |

The town auditor's appropriation accounts were analyzed and checked in detail. The appropriations, transfers, and loans authorized, as entered on the appropriation ledger, were checked with the town clerk's records of town meetings, and the recorded disbursements were checked with the treasurer's books. As no complete set of ledger accounts had been kept, it was necessary to compile these accounts for the entire audit period.

It is again recommended that steps be taken toward the establishment of a proper system of accounting, so that complete records may be available in a single town office and so that the true financial condition of the town be readily available at all time.

From the compiled ledger accounts, a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town as of August 23, 1937, was prepared and is appended to this report.

Provision should be made in 1938 for the deficit in the overlay account for 1931 and for the abatements of old age assistance taxes, as shown on the balance sheet.

The balance of a Federal P. W. A. grant in the amount of \$3,033.13 set up in the balance sheet should be used for the payment of the High School construction loan bonds as they mature, and the appropriation from the tax levy maturing debt correspondingly reduced.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the records in the several departments in which charges originated or in which money was collected for the town, and with the other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury. The expenditures were checked with the auditor's books and with the bills, vouchers, and pay-rolls approved by the selectmen, which serve as the selectmen's authorization to disburse town funds, since no treasury warrant or order form is used. The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on August 23, 1937, was verified by actual count of the cash in the office and by a reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank of deposit.

An examination of paid vouchers on file disclosed the fact that premiums have been paid annually for accident insurance covering volunteer firemen. Although a town may vote in accordance with Section 100, Chapter 41, General Laws, to indemnify a fireman for expenses or damages sustained by him in the actual performance of duty, there is no provision of law authorizing the payment of accident insurance to cover firemen.

The payments on account of maturing debt and interest were proved with the amounts falling due during the period covered by

the audit and were checked with the cancelled securities and coupons on file.

The savings bank books representing the investments of the several town trust funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined. The income was proved and the receipts and disbursements were verified.

The treasurer's records to tax titles held by the town were examined and checked in detail. The taxes transferred to tax titles were compared with the tax books, the recorded redemptions on account of tax titles were checked to the treasurer's cash book, and the tax titles disclaimed or foreclosed as lands of low value were checked with the recorded affidavits on file. The tax titles on hand on August 23, 1937, were listed and checked to the deeds on file, and further verified by a comparison with the records in the registry of deeds.

While considerable improvement was noted in the matter of keeping tax title records, the records are still incomplete and inadequate to cover the volume and detail of the transactions concerned. All entries concerning tax title transactions should be complete as to all details. A substantial amount of detailed checking was required in order to prove the tax title accounts, thereby increasing the cost of the audit.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked in detail. The taxes outstanding at the time of the previous examination were audited, and all subsequent commitments were verified and compared with the assessors' warrants for their collection. The cash books were footed, and the recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer, the resulting cash book balances being charged to the collector's cash discrepancy account, detailed previously in this report.

The recorded abatements were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the taxes transferred to the tax title account were compared with the records of tax titles held by the town.

The outstanding accounts were listed and verified by mailing over 1300 notices to persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town. A number of claims of payment were received in reply, and all such claims were investigated for definite proof of payment.

The aggregate amounts outstanding on each of the several levies as determined by the audit were given to the assessors for recommitment by their warrant and list to the temporary collector.

It was found that the tax refunds are being charged to the collector's appropriation account. While the town records are inade-

quate, in that there is no control account of the tax levy to allow charging the tax refunds thereto, these refunds should not be charged against an appropriation account, as they are refunds of money previously received.

As may be judged from the amount of the collector's cash shortage, the collector has not made weekly payments to the treasurer, as required by Section 2, Chapter 60, General Laws.

It was also found that the collector has been reimbursed for poll tax demands turned into the treasury, contrary to Section 15A, Chapter 60, General Laws.

While the town fixes the rate of compensation of the tax collector at a certain percentage, it does not clearly state whether commission should be paid on cash collections only or whether it should also be paid on credits allowed the collector. Thus it was found that the collector received $1\frac{1}{4}\%$ commission on the tax collections, on the interest collections, and on the amounts of tax sales and subsequent additions to tax titles. It was further noted that the collector received commissions at the rate of $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ on the 1932 levy for collections made during years when his commission was fixed by town vote at $1\frac{1}{4}\%$. Compensation for preparing disclaimers on tax titles was received by the collector after he had received compensation for the tax title itself.

In view of the above, it is recommended that the town abolish the custom of paying commissions to its tax collectors and vote instead a fixed annual salary, with the provision that all fees received by the tax collector by virtue of the office be turned into the town treasury.

The town clerk's records of financial votes passed by the town were examined. It was noted that despite previous audit comment, the salaries of all elective officers are not fixed annually by town vote, as required by Section 108, Chapter 41, General Laws.

The town clerk's records of dog licenses, sporting licenses, and town licenses issued were examined, and the recorded collections were checked with the payments to the county, state, and town treasurers.

A record of every license granted by the selectmen should be incorporated in the minutes of the selectmen's meetings, so that the records of town licenses issued by the town clerk may be checked with the records of licenses granted.

The records of receipts from town hall rentals, from sealer's fees, library fines, and from the health and public welfare departments, as well as from all other departments collecting money for

the town, were examined and checked. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the town treasurer, the outstanding accounts were listed, and the cash balances were verified by actual count of cash on hand.

Sundry departmental records were found to be very inadequate and incomplete. Every department head or board sending out bills due the town should keep an exact record of the billing and record therein the subsequent disposition of the bill. Every town official receiving money for the town should keep a detailed record of the source and amount of each receipt, together with a record of the payment to the treasurer.

The surety bonds on file for the several town officials required by law to furnish such surety were examined, and found to be in proper form.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing reconciliations of the treasurer's, the tax collector's, and the town clerk's cash, summaries of the tax and town clerk's accounts, together with schedules relative to the trust fund transactions.

For the cooperation and assistance extended by the several town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Assistant Director of Accounts.

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TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

Balance Sheet—August 23, 1937

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash

In Banks and Office:

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| General | \$ 27,307.52 |
| Collector | 1,647.01 |
| Discrepancy, Robert W. Barron, | |
| Collector | 32,147.14 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 61,11.67 |

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes:

| | |
|---------------------|--------------|
| Property 1931 | \$ 58.32 |
| Property 1932 | 43.62 |
| Poll 1933 | 4.00 |
| Property 1933 | 589.00 |
| Poll 1934 | 190.50 |
| Property 1934 | 1,652.65 |
| Poll 1935 | 180.00 |
| Property 1935 | 5,528.42 |
| Poll 1936 | 370.00 |
| Property 1936 | 25,996.71 |
| Poll 1937 | 1,034.00 |
| Property 1937 | 144,018.40 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$179,665.62 |

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Temporary Loans:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| In Anticipation of Revenue 1936.... | \$ 55,000.00 |
| In Anticipation of Revenue 1937.... | 85,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$140,000.00 |

Overpayments to be Refunded:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Poll Taxes 1935 | \$ 6.00 |
| Property Taxes 1935 | 25.96 |
| Poll Taxes 1936 | 1.00 |
| Property Taxes 1936 | 5.63 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1934.. | 2.00 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1935.. | 6.30 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1936.. | 2.00 |
| Tax Titles | 8.83 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 57.72 |

Abatements and Payments to be Refunded:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Property Taxes 1935 | \$ 156.88 |
| Property Taxes 1936 | 6.66 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1935.. | 2.49 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1936.. | 6.19 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1937.. | 4.31 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 176.53 |

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|------------------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|--------------|
| Old Age Assistance Taxes: | | | | | |
| Levy of 1933 | 2.00 | | | | |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes: | | | | | |
| Levy of 1934 | \$ 365.41 | | | | 3,033.13 |
| Levy of 1935 | 414.86 | | | | 318.80 |
| Levy of 1936 | 992.05 | | | | |
| Levy of 1937 | 2,466.73 | | | | |
| | \$ 4,239.05 | | | | |
| Special Assessments: | | | | | |
| Moth 1931 | 10.56 | | | | |
| Tax Titles | 9,762.18 | | | | \$ 14,426.30 |
| Aid to Highways: | | | | | |
| State | \$ 8,157.72 | | | | \$ 80,320.83 |
| County | 4,955.21 | | | | 2,250.00 |
| | \$ 13,112.93 | | | | \$ 82,570.83 |
| Estimated Receipts to be Collected | | | | | 838.03 |
| Loan Authorized, Remodeling Le- | | | | | |
| gion Hall | 7,179.22 | | | | |
| Deficit to be Raised: | | | | | |
| Overlay 1931 | 2,250.00 | | | | |
| Abate-ments, Old Age | | | | | |
| Assistance Taxes | 247.00 | | | | |
| | \$ 401.24 | | | | \$ 5,254.53 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Revenue Reserved Until Collected: | |
| Motor Vehicle Excise Tax | \$ 4,239.05 |
| Special Assessment | 10.56 |
| Tax Title | 9,762.18 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 14,011.79 |

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| Surplus Revenue | 17,036.81 |
|-----------------------|-----------|

\$277,724.47

DEBT ACCOUNTS

| | |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| \$ 53,000.00 | High School Construction Loan |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|

\$ 53,000.00

Net Funded or Fixed Debt

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:

Cash and Securities:

In Custody of Town Treasurer

| | |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| \$ 12,325.17 | Foster School Fund |
| | Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds ... |
| | Municipal Buildings Insurance |
| | Fund |

\$ 1,057.66

1,623.06

9,644.45

\$ 12,325.17

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HIGHWAYS

| | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 17,000.00 | |
| Less Transfer to Road Machinery Fund..... | 1,000.00 | |
| | | \$ 16,000.00 |
| Allotment by State..... | | \$ 9,000.00 |
| | | \$ 25,000.00 |
| Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund..... | | \$ 2,368.88 |
| | | \$ 22,631.12 |

Expenditures

Labor and Material

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Daniel Sterling, superintendent | \$ 900.94 |
| James Manley, chauffeur | 689.25 |
| James Bancroft, chauffeur | 675.25 |
| Homer Darby, chauffeur | 661.25 |
| Charles Bowden, chauffeur | 697.00 |
| Roland Robinson, operator | 678.25 |
| Edward Poore, laborer | 585.79 |
| Alton Parker, laborer | 611.60 |
| Joseph Aubut, laborer | 577.30 |
| Edward Penney, laborer | 558.83 |
| William Penney, laborer | 605.21 |
| George Gale, laborer | 580.96 |
| Eugene Winter, laborer | 615.11 |
| Francis Brown, laborer..... | 595.78 |
| Jeremiah Houlihan, laborer | 606.03 |
| Winthrop Jones, laborer | 623.29 |
| Emanuel Martin, laborer | 515.89 |
| Frank Goodwin, chauffeur | 598.75 |
| Ashby Nash, laborer | 95.68 |
| Louis Brazee, laborer | 24.00 |
| William McKay, laborer | 33.75 |
| William Gath, laborer | 32.75 |
| Elmer Nary, Jr., laborer | 32.00 |
| Miles Record, laborer | 4.50 |
| Lincoln Gerrish, laborer | 2.54 |
| John Hannigan, laborer | 8.50 |
| Stanley Alex, laborer | 8.50 |
| Donat Miron, laborer | 8.50 |
| Amedie Mercier, laborer | 8.50 |

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|---|----------|
| The Barrett Co., Tarvia | 4,041.04 |
| Wilder Grain Co., cement | 5.20 |
| H. E. Fletcher Co., granite posts | 109.05 |
| Leo Benougli, gravel and sand | 623.79 |
| Robert Barron, gravel | 131.40 |
| P. J. Roux, sharpening picks | 9.80 |
| George W. Burt, gravel | 271.35 |
| Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil | 2,860.68 |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., chalk line..... | 1.88 |
| Middlesex Supply Co., tools | 6.99 |
| Fred H. Garlick, trucking | 483.13 |
| New England Metal Culvert Co., pipe..... | 44.95 |
| J. G. McLellan, kerosene & range oil | 10.09 |
| James Sheehan, trucking | 228.75 |
| Louis Bruneau, sand | 166.85 |
| Grossman Lumber Co., lumber | 5.80 |
| Wilbur K. Foss, painting road signs | 101.75 |
| Berger Metal Culvert Co., pipe | 58.21 |
| Mr. Halpherson, gravel | 73.70 |
| John Belton, sand | 14.90 |
| <hr/> | |
| \$ 20,885.01 | |

Tools, Supplies and Other Expenses

Expenditures

| | |
|--|---------|
| Middlesex Supply Co., hardware | \$ 4.09 |
| Ethel M. Phillips, services | 5.00 |
| Mildred Sawyer, clerical work | 85.05 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones | 165.46 |
| Walter Sawyer, labor | 12.00 |
| Howard, Rogers & Sherburne, legal services | 90.00 |
| Dana F. Perkins, making survey & plans for Sts. setting stone bound posts | 432.75 |
| Thomas Sawyer, postage and registering letters | 267.75 |
| Acme Fencing Co., supplies | 48.60 |
| G. C. Prince & Son, office supplies | 5.60 |
| John C. Bennett, shovels and padlocks | 29.65 |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., hardware | 11.80 |
| John Fleming, insurance on trucks | .83 |
| Osterman Coal Co., coal | 38.66 |
| Wadsworth, Howland & Co., enamel | 59.75 |
| Mary C. Cavanaugh, damage for land taking | 7.28 |
| H. E. Fletcher Co., granite bounds | 175.00 |
| Wilbur K. Foss, painting and lettering signs and posts | 93.60 |
| John A. Simpson & Son, pipe | 88.00 |
| | 2.00 |

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|---|-------|-----------|
| George Boynton, M.D., professional services.. | 5.00 | |
| State Infirmery, medical aid to James Manley and Francis Brown | 1.50 | |
| State Prison, covers | .44 | |
| Portersfield Garage, changing tire and valve | .55 | |
| Daniel Sterling, paid express | .54 | |
| Cities Service Refining Co., gasoline | 67.72 | |
| Alexander Supply Co., plow runners | 10.50 | |
| P. Farell, trucking | 6.00 | |
| Thomas P. Sawyer, registering trucks | 12.00 | |
| J. G. McLellan, oil | 9.30 | |
| Austin & Jesse French, wood | 5.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 1,741.42 |
| Total amount available for General highways.... | \$ | 22,631.12 |
| Expenditures | | 22,626.43 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | \$ | 4.59 |

Highway Machinery Fund

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| Transferred from Highway Appropriation, as per vote at Annual Meeting | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Credited From General Highway Payrolls | | 2,368.88 |
| Credited From Pleasant Street Payrolls | | 369.25 |
| Credited From North Street Payrolls | | 926.35 |
| Credited From Maintenance Chapter 90 Payrolls | | 1,243.70 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 5,908.18 |

Expenditures

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks..... | \$ | 204.00 |
| Towers Motor Parts Corp., duel chains, etc. | | 12.16 |
| John C. Bennett, tools and supplies | | 116.25 |
| Colonial Beacon Oil Co., supplies | | 753.06 |
| Middlesex Supply Co., hardware supplies | | 37.10 |
| North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts | | 788.13 |
| Bill Moss, mounting truck tires | | 2.50 |
| Cities Service Refining Co., gasoline..... | | 1,542.02 |
| Springfield Commercial Body Co., parts | | 1.50 |
| Sears Roebuck & Co., lights | | 3.45 |
| The Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., labor and parts | | 222.32 |
| Lansing Co., Repairs and parts | | 23.52 |
| Scannell Boiler Works, repairs | | 9.90 |
| John L. Fleming, policy on truck | | 4.20 |
| Bulley's Filling Station, oil and fittings | | 25.30 |
| P. J. Roux, sharpening picks and repairs..... | | 25.75 |
| Hedge & Matthais Co., parts | | 1.08 |

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|--|-----------|-------------|
| G. R. Myers Co., sharpening picks | 2.50 | |
| Thomas P. Sawyer, paid freight | 1.69 | |
| Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., blades for scraper and snow plows | 92.00 | |
| Daniel Sterling, paid express | .46 | |
| Liberty Steel Co., labor and parts | 31.76 | |
| Arthur Tremblay, supplies | 1.62 | |
| Treat Hardware Corp., wire fence | 9.73 | |
| A. B. Moore, oakite | .60 | |
| Frazier's Garage, labor and supplies | 1.00 | |
| Billerica Motor Sales Co., 2 Ford trucks | 1,602.00 | |
| Billerica Motor Sales Co., repairs | 240.63 | |
| J. G. McLellan, range oil | 12.33 | |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., tools and supplies | 12.35 | |
| Lowell Glass Co., glass | 2.75 | |
| Twin Oak Filling Station, gasoline | .42 | |
| Russell Lumber Co., lumber | 7.06 | |
| Lowell Coke Co., coke | 12.50 | |
| Derby Electric Motors Co., telephone cable | 3.38 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 5,807.02 |
| Balance of Fund carried forward to 1938..... | \$ 101.16 | |

PLEASANT STREET CHAPTER 90

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Brought Forward from 1936 | \$ 564.25 |
| Appropriation | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 1,564.25 |
| Allotment by State | 1,400.00 |
| Allotment by County | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 3,964.25 |
| Less amount credited to Highway Ma- chinery Fund | 369.25 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 3,595.00 |

Expenditures

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Daniel Sterling, superintendent | \$ 204.06 |
| James Manley, chauffeur | 136.75 |
| James Bancroft, chauffeur | 136.25 |
| Homer Darby, chauffeur | 165.55 |
| Charles Bowden, chauffeur | 136.25 |
| Roland Robinson, operator | 140.25 |
| Edward Poore, laborer | 106.50 |
| Alton Parker, laborer | 136.25 |
| Joseph Aubut, laborer | 136.25 |

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|---|--------|-------------|
| Edward Penny, laborer | 147.55 | |
| William Penney, laborer | 141.50 | |
| George Gale, laborer | 132.00 | |
| Emanuel Martin, laborer | 137.30 | |
| Eugene Winter, laborer | 136.25 | |
| Francis Brown, laborer | 136.25 | |
| Frank Goodwin, chauffeur | 119.00 | |
| Jeremiah Houlihan, laborer | 124.20 | |
| Winthrop Jones, laborer | 119.00 | |
| James Baxton, laborer | 23.75 | |
| William Gath, laborer | 22.00 | |
| Ashby Nash, laborer | 21.25 | |
| Nelson Brown, laborer | 19.50 | |
| Frank Kane, mason | 47.45 | |
| The Barrett Co., Tarvia | 63.00 | |
| New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe..... | 446.88 | |
| John G. McLellan, range oil | 3.40 | |
| Trimount Bituminous Products Co., Tarco | 196.88 | |
| Leo Bonugli, gravel | 41.72 | |
| John J. Belton, sand | 4.00 | |
| Explosive Supply Co., dynamite and caps | 9.38 | |
| Russell Lumber Co., lumber | 8.23 | |
| State Prison, frames, grates and covers | 91.40 | |
| Daniel T. Sullivan, cement and brick | 105.00 | |
| | | \$ 3,595.00 |

NORTH STREET

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 2,500.00 | |
| 1st Allotment by State | 3,500.00 | |
| 1st Allotment by County | 2,500.00 | |
| | | \$ 8,500.00 |
| From Welfare Dept. | \$ 225.00 | |
| 2nd Allotment by State | 450.00 | |
| 2nd Allotment by County | 225.00 | |
| | | \$ 900.00 |
| From Welfare Dept. | \$ 200.00 | |
| 3rd Allotment by State | 250.00 | |
| 3rd Allotment by County | 200.00 | |
| | | \$ 650.00 |
| | | \$ 10,050.00 |
| Less amount credited to Highway Ma- | | |
| chinery Fund | | 926.35 |
| | | \$ 9,123.65 |

Expenditures

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| Daniel Sterling, superintendent | \$ | 312.51 |
| James Manley, chauffeur | | 230.75 |
| Frank Goodwin, chauffeur | | 202.50 |
| James Bancroft, chauffeur | | 205.90 |
| Homer Darby, chauffeur | | 249.33 |
| Charles Bowden, chauffeur | | 214.50 |
| Roland Robinson, chauffeur | | 224.01 |
| Edward Poore, laborer | | 169.00 |
| Alton Parker, laborer | | 217.00 |
| Edward Penney, laborer | | 167.00 |
| William Penney, laborer | | 207.75 |
| George Gale, laborer | | 202.20 |
| Emanuel Martin, laborer | | 66.75 |
| Eugene Winter, laborer | | 205.50 |
| Francis Brown, laborer | | 190.75 |
| Jeremiah Houlihan, laborer | | 205.98 |
| Winthrop Jones, laborer | | 201.25 |
| Ashby Nash, laborer | | 149.50 |
| Joseph Aubut, laborer | | 175.95 |
| Nelson Brown, laborer | | 147.00 |
| Joseph Cisluycis, laborer | | 153.50 |
| William MacKay, laborer | | 46.25 |
| Ray Gould, laborer | | 2.50 |
| Homer Paris, laborer | | 147.00 |
| William Gath, laborer | | 76.25 |
| James Ogston, laborer | | 136.50 |
| Frank Kane, mason | | 51.35 |
| Louis Brazee, laborer | | 21.75 |
| Elmer Nary, Jr., laborer | | 21.75 |
| Miles Record, laborer | | 10.50 |
| Herman Otto, laborer | | 29.75 |
| Lincoln Gerrish, laborer | | 27.21 |
| John Hannigan, laborer | | 21.25 |
| Stanley Alex, laborer | | 21.25 |
| Donat Miron, laborer | | 21.25 |
| Amedie Mercier, laborer | | 21.25 |
| T. Mackey & Son, use of gas shovel | | 937.25 |
| John G. McLellan, range oil | | 24.44 |
| New England Metal Culvert Co., pipe | | 208.86 |
| John Brady, trucking stone and gravel | | 1,365.04 |
| James Sheehan, trucking | | 110.63 |
| Fred Garlick, trucking | | 124.38 |
| Daniel T. Sullivan, pipe, brick and cement | | 180.81 |
| Berger Metal Culvert Co., pipe | | 97.72 |
| New England Concrete Pipe Corp., pipe..... | | 339.87 |
| Dracut Construction Co., use of compressor | | 55.50 |

| | | |
|--|--------|-------------------|
| Explosive Supply Co., dynamite..... | 32.98 | |
| Edgar Hinton, use of truck..... | 75.00 | |
| State Prison, frames, covers, grates and posts.... | 164.45 | |
| Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil..... | 634.28 | |
| H. E. Fletcher Co., granite posts | 18.00 | |
| | | <hr/> \$ 9,123.65 |

CHAPTER 90

MAINTENANCE

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 2,500.00 |
| Allotment by State | 1,400.00 |
| Allotment by County | 2,500.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 6,400.00 |
| Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund | 1,243.70 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 5,156.30 |

Expenditures

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Daniel Sterling, superintendent | \$ 169.06 |
| James, Manley, chauffeur | 133.75 |
| Frank Goodwin, chauffeur | 133.75 |
| James Bancroft, chauffeur | 133.75 |
| Homer Darby, chauffeur | 133.75 |
| Charles Bowden, chauffeur | 133.75 |
| Roland Robinson, operator | 122.75 |
| Edward Poore, laborer | 118.91 |
| Alton Parker, laborer | 119.14 |
| Joseph Aubut, laborer | 123.05 |
| Edward Penney, laborer | 125.72 |
| George Gale, laborer | 123.05 |
| Emanuel Martin, laborer | 118.45 |
| Eugene Winter, laborer | 123.05 |
| Francis Brown, laborer | 118.91 |
| Jeremiah Houlihan, laborer..... | 120.75 |
| Winthrop Jones, laborer | 123.05 |
| Ashby Nash, laborer | 77.74 |
| William Penney, laborer | 123.05 |
| John J. Belton, sand | 51.90 |
| Leo Bonugli, gravel | 144.90 |
| Trimount Bituminous Products Co., Tarco | 2,227.39 |
| F. L. Kane, building catch basins | 8.00 |

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|------------------------------------|--------|-------------------|
| John Brady, gravel and brick | 19.95 | |
| The Barrett Co., Tarvia | 328.73 | |
| | | <hr/> \$ 5,156.30 |

REBUILDING AND REPAIRING BRIDGES OVER SHAWSHEEN RIVER

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,000.00 |
|---------------------|-------------|

Expenditures

| | | |
|---|---------|-----------------|
| Scannell Boiler Works, iron | \$ 5.00 | |
| Walter Sawyer, carpenter work | 82.50 | |
| Wilder Grain Co., cement | 13.00 | |
| The Wood Preserving Corp., creosoted pine | 587.50 | |
| Middlesex Machine Co., iron | 2.96 | |
| Russell Lumber Co., lumber and supplies | 156.07 | |
| John A. Simpson & Son, Inc., lumber | 145.00 | |
| | | <hr/> \$ 992.03 |
| Unexpended | \$ 7.97 | |

SCHOOLS

| | |
|---------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 54,800.00 |
|---------------------|--------------|

Expenditures

Teachers

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Whitman Pearson, principal | \$ 2,093.92 |
| Vittoria Rosatto | 600.00 |
| Marion Adams | 639.96 |
| Donald Dunnan | 1,551.28 |
| Donald McSheehy | 1,171.32 |
| Rena Thiberge | 580.00 |
| Catherine Maguire | 1,171.32 |
| Kathryn Chandler | 1,203.10 |
| Evelyn Dutton | 1,171.32 |
| Marjorie Scoboria | 1,203.10 |
| Agnes Phillips | 965.64 |
| Ethelyn Howard, principal | 1,599.96 |
| Elizabeth Giles | 604.78 |
| Elinor Allen | 541.14 |
| Elizabeth Flynn | 1,194.00 |
| Marion Piper | 1,110.00 |
| Mary E. Watson | 1,038.31 |
| Doris Blake | 1,041.00 |
| Virginia Cunningham | 851.06 |

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Mildred Rollo | 851.06 |
| Ruth Kelley | 724.32 |
| Katherine Sullivan | 930.12 |
| Margery Shaw | 807.46 |
| Hazel Lambert | 851.06 |
| Elizabeth Reynolds | 851.06 |
| Eva Hersey | 1,200.00 |
| Bernice Lyness | 851.06 |
| Elizabeth Fenton | 4.00 |
| Sally Conlon | 8.00 |
| Eileen C. Donohue | 20.00 |
| Katherine M. Rei | 20.00 |
| Gertrude Slavin | 8.00 |
| Helen R. Poland | 20.00 |
| John Pearson | 10.00 |
| Mary Pollard | 4.00 |
| Francis Maria | 376.00 |
| Lawrence McGowan | 376.00 |
| Pauline Sullivan | 232.24 |
| Doris Roberts | 266.32 |
| Alberta Ringer | 266.32 |
| Ruth Lyons | 20.00 |
| Ruth Hoar | 80.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| \$ 29,108.23 | |

Fuel and Janitor

| | |
|---|----------|
| Lowell Gas Light Co., gas | \$ 95.47 |
| Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity..... | 818.62 |
| Harry Wiley, janitor | 1,325.00 |
| Walter Lavelle, janitor | 1,325.00 |
| Robert Staveley, janitor | 1,060.00 |
| Irving Bailey, janitor | 704.00 |
| State Prison, floor brushes, etc. | 52.47 |
| Wm. M. Horner, janitor's supplies | 77.55 |
| Fred H. Rourke Co., coal | 1,447.87 |
| Osterman Coal Co., repairing stoker and parts.... | 14.75 |
| Middlesex Co. House of Correction, brushes | 1.02 |
| First National Stores, light bulbs | 1.37 |
| K. M. Crawford Co., disinfectant | 5.70 |
| A. B. Moore, janitor supplies | 12.87 |
| Mrs. Bridget Tansey, cleaning | 1.20 |
| C. H. Hobson & Son, boiler brush | 3.50 |
| F. J. Flemings Est., towels | 7.00 |
| Arthur Tremblay, supplies | 7.24 |
| <hr/> | |
| \$ 6,960.63 | |

Transportation

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Omer Blanchard, driving bus | \$ 1,988.60 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|

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|---|----------|-------------|
| Anthony Furtado, driving bus | 2,146.11 | |
| Harry C. Dawson, insurance on bus | 114.31 | |
| Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., pupils' tickets | 2-831.00 | |
| Anthony Furtado, Jr., driving bus to Lowell | 5.00 | |
| | | \$ 7,085.02 |

Supervision

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| Stephen G. Bean | \$ 877.56 |
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Books and Supplies

| | |
|--|----------|
| J. L. Hammett Co., books | \$ 66.74 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., supplies..... | 635.99 |
| Ginn & Co., books..... | 142.81 |
| Logman's, Green & Co., books..... | 75.93 |
| Walter Jacobs Inc., music..... | 2.65 |
| G. C. Prince & Son, supplies..... | 61.09 |
| F. J. Flemings Est., supplies | 148.50 |
| The Papercrafters Inc., supplies..... | 6.35 |
| Beckley-Cardy Co., books..... | 1.11 |
| American Book Co., books..... | 338.68 |
| The Boston Music Co., music..... | 18.52 |
| The Bon Marche Co., supplies..... | 8.64 |
| The National Geographic Society, subscriptions.. | 9.00 |
| D. C. Heath & Co., books..... | .88 |
| Gledhill Bros. Inc., supplies..... | 589.85 |
| O. H. Toothaker, pencils..... | 17.85 |
| F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies..... | 37.45 |
| Webster Publishing Co., books..... | 23.89 |
| The Welles Publishing Co., books..... | 22.74 |
| Silver Burdett & Co., music books..... | 5.02 |
| Oxford Book Co., books..... | 4.77 |
| Gaylord Bros. Inc., supplies..... | 54.70 |
| A. G. Pollard Co., supplies..... | 16.05 |
| Henry S. Wolkin Co., supplies..... | 23.95 |
| The Willis Music Co., music..... | 4.22 |
| Milton Bradley Co., supplies..... | 157.90 |
| The Quincy Bookbinding Co., book binding..... | 8.22 |
| The Macmillan Co., books..... | 53.00 |
| National School Record House, teachers' booklets | 6.85 |
| Middlesex Supply Co., supplies..... | 1.35 |
| World Book Co., supplies..... | 12.24 |
| J. B. Lippincott Co., books..... | 3.14 |
| Jordan Marsh Co., supplies..... | 6.00 |
| The Arlo Publishing Co., books..... | 3.47 |
| Allyn & Bacon, books..... | 87.65 |

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|--|-------|-------------------|
| The Gregg Publishing Co., books..... | 59.08 | |
| Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., books..... | 61.70 | |
| Scott Foresman & Co., books..... | 68.24 | |
| Charles Scribner's Sons, books..... | 10.75 | |
| Wright & Potter Printing Co., paper..... | 5.16 | |
| Hall & McCreary Co., books..... | 6.06 | |
| Remington Rand, Inc., supplies..... | 22.25 | |
| McGraw-Hill Book Co. Inc., books..... | 6.66 | |
| Broadhead-Garrett Co., supplies..... | 33.67 | |
| Prentice-Hall, Inc., books..... | 39.38 | |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, letterheads..... | 3.75 | |
| The John C. Winston Co., books..... | 11.27 | |
| Central Scientific Co., books..... | 2.99 | |
| | | <hr/> \$ 2,988.16 |

School Houses

| | | |
|--|----------|-------------------|
| Mark Courser, carpenter | \$ 99.20 | |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies | 267.96 | |
| Russell Lumber Co., lumber | 433.34 | |
| Middlesex Supply Co., supplies | 17.11 | |
| Thompson Hardware Co., supplies | 32.10 | |
| Bennett Bros., servicing pump and supplies | 121.20 | |
| W. J. Bolton, labor | 44.50 | |
| Franklin Sheet Metal Co., supplies | 110.00 | |
| Thomas F. Sullivan, labor and material | 44.00 | |
| Adams Hardware Co., hardware and paint | 15.54 | |
| Hobson & Lawler Co., repairs and parts | 62.51 | |
| Herman Pfeiffer, labor | 97.15 | |
| Lowell Electric Light Corp. Supplies | 1.00 | |
| Wadsworth Howland & Co., brushes | 2.00 | |
| Charles H. Hobson, plumbing | 14.20 | |
| Roy Curseaden, labor and material | 4.75 | |
| Wilmington Builders Supply Co., lumber and hardware | 9.95 | |
| Direct Stores Inc., varnish | 1.05 | |
| C. B. Coburn Co., supplies | 28.19 | |
| G. C. Prince & Son Co., supplies | 37.97 | |
| Louis Marion, labor and material | 372.10 | |
| R. W. Wolf, painting and material | 75.00 | |
| Lowell Metal Ceiling Co., erecting ceiling | 85.00 | |
| John H. Seifer, repairing clocks | 5.00 | |
| Lull & Hartford, keys | .40 | |
| W. L. Farwell, labor | 2.25 | |
| North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts | 5.19 | |
| Gregory F. Carmacho, labor and material | 67.80 | |
| | | <hr/> \$ 2,056.43 |

Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement \$ 1,219.59

Miscellaneous

| | |
|---|---------|
| Grant Longley, Soccer ball | \$ 6.45 |
| D. N. Doucette, repairs and parts | 5.10 |
| First National Stores, groceries | 41.78 |
| Stephen G. Bean, transportation..... | 111.29 |
| clerical service and telephone | 49.69 |
| Purity Spring Water Co., water and cups | 197.30 |
| Howard, Rogers & Sherburne, legal services ... | 63.03 |
| Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., repairs | 9.15 |
| Helen R. McCoy, services in lunch room | 240.00 |
| Whitman Pearson, telephone and postage | 38.65 |
| Reformatory for Women, flags | 18.32 |
| New England Tel & Tel. Co., telephones | 1.91 |
| A. B. Moore, groceries and supplies | 71.97 |
| Thompson Hardware Co., supplies | 40.13 |
| Arthur Tremblay, groceries | 16.75 |
| The Robertson Co. Inc., supplies and repairs ... | 128.75 |
| Lyon Metal Products Inc., lockers | 291.70 |
| New England Laundries Inc., laundry | 6.58 |
| Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions..... | 30.00 |
| John L. Fleming, renewal of insurance policies.. | 530.83 |
| International Business Machine Corp., inspec- tion of electric clock system..... | 15.00 |
| Edith A. Foristall, advertising..... | 6.12 |
| Boston & Maine R. R., drain pipe privileges..... | 5.00 |
| Prince-Walter Co., tubes and service..... | 12.00 |
| R. H. Stote, supplies..... | 4.45 |
| Visual Education Service, DeLuxe screen | 40.50 |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing..... | 21.75 |
| Dr. John R. Mahoney, services at dental clinic.. | 54.00 |
| Vittoria Rosatto, lettering diplomas..... | 23.39 |
| Bennett Bros. Water Analysis | 10.00 |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., erection of fence and supplies | 201.88 |
| Harry A. Hopkins, tuning piano and repairs..... | 10.00 |
| Royal Typewriter Co., typewriter and repairs.... | 69.00 |
| Remington, Rand, Inc., service..... | 5.90 |
| Tewksbury News, printing | 12.50 |
| Dickerman & McQuaide Co., score book..... | .95 |
| Anderson Bros., milk..... | 6.21 |
| Gaylord Bros, Inc., supplies..... | 64.84 |
| Herbert W. and Marion Pillsbury, loam for High School grounds | 50.00 |

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|--|--------|-------------|
| Anthony Furtado, Jr., transportation..... | 5.00 | |
| Direct Stores, Inc., supplies..... | 3.78 | |
| Dillon Dye Works cleaning uniforms | 4.20 | |
| Mack Courser, painting..... | 18.25 | |
| F. H. Garlick, trucking..... | 4.75 | |
| Lull & Hartford, tennis supplies..... | 1.95 | |
| A. G. Pollard Co., supplies..... | 12.96 | |
| Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boiler | 5.00 | |
| Edith McSheehy, directing lunch room..... | 154.00 | |
| Central Scientific Co., equipment..... | 26.19 | |
| W. J. Hoare, supplies for Home Economics Class | .90 | |
| J. J. Newberry Co., supplies..... | 3.60 | |
| Mrs. May L. Larrabee, use of telephone..... | 36.00 | |
| Mrs. May L. Larrabee, other expenses | 16.33 | |
| Guy Gray, educational certificates..... | 1.50 | |
| Austin French, educational certificates..... | 4.25 | |
| A. J. Fairgrieve, premium on insurance policies | 153.50 | |
| Iver Johnson-Sporting Goods Co., balls..... | 23.34 | |
| Russell Lumber Co., lumber..... | 35.25 | |
| Horace Partridge Co., football goods..... | 200.73 | |
| Lowell Building Wrecking Co. Inc., lumber..... | 17.20 | |
| Cyril Barker, attendance officer | 50.00 | |
| Wilbur K. Foss, painting and hanging High School sign | 92.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 3,383.55 |

School Nurse

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Mrs. Emma Maclaren, services..... | \$ 510.00 | |
| Mrs. Emma Maclaren, transporting children to clinic | 10.80 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 520.80 |
| Miss Edith Haynes, services | | 400.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 920.80 |

Medical Inspection

| | | |
|---|--------------|--|
| Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician..... | \$ 200.00 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total expenditures for school..... | \$ 54,800.00 | |
| Appropriation | \$ 54,800.00 | |

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,250.00 |
|---------------------|-------------|

Expenditures

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| City of Lawrence, tuition | \$ 12.00 |
|---------------------------------|----------|

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|---|--------|-----------------|
| City of Lynn, tuition | 25.00 | |
| City of Lowell, tuition | 809.21 | |
| Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co., transportation of pupils | 100.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 946.21 |
| Unexpended | | <hr/> \$ 303.79 |

PUBLIC WELFARE

| | | |
|---|-------------|--------------------|
| Appropriation | | \$ 17,000.00 |
| Less Amount chargeable to Dependent Children Account | \$ 2,473.17 | |
| Less Amount transferred to North St. | 425.00 | |
| Less Amount transferred to W. P. A. Acct. | 512.66 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 3,410.83 |
| | | <hr/> \$ 13,589.17 |
| Expended for Welfare | | \$ 12,624.75 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | | \$ 964.42 |

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

| | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|
| From Welfare Account | \$ 2,473.17 | |
| From Commonwealth of Mass. U. S. Grants..... | 1,710.83 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 4,184.00 |
| Expended | | <hr/> \$ 4,184.00 |

AID, STATE AND MILITARY

| | | |
|---------------------|-------------|--|
| Appropriation | \$ 2,500.00 | |
| Expended | 1,249.02 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Unexpended | \$ 1,250.98 | |

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

| | | |
|---|-----------|--------------------|
| Brought forward from 1937 | \$ 279.93 | |
| Appropriation | 6,000.00 | |
| Transferred from Reserved Fund | 1,000.00 | |
| From State a/c U. S. Grants | 5,663.17 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 12,943.10 |
| Expended account of Old Age Cases | | <hr/> \$ 12,658.06 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | | \$ 285.04 |

STATIONERY AND PRINTING

| | |
|--|-----------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Expenditures | |
| Edith A. Foristall, advertising | \$ 30.40 |
| Balfe Service Co., printing warrants | 20.00 |
| Balfe Service Co., printing town reports | 465.00 |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing ballots etc..... | 38.25 |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, town seal | 1.50 |
| Utility Supply Co., supplies | 25.23 |
| A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes & stamps | 173.02 |
| G C. Prince & Son, supplies | 27.35 |
| Donaldson's, typewriter ribbons | 1.50 |
| A. A. Smith & Co., typewriter ribbons | 1.50 |
| Loella F. Dewing, advertising | 1.25 |
| M. G. Wight & Co., letterheads, etc. | 7.00 |
| Hobbs & Warren Inc., blanks | 2.26 |
| The Fidelity Specialty Co., ink | 3.43 |
| The Phaneuf Press, record book | 3.50 |
| Courier Citizen Newspaper Co., advertising..... | 7.50 |
| | <hr/> \$ 808.69 |
| Unexpended | <hr/> \$ 191.31 |

SALARIES

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 3,000.00 |
| Expenditures | |
| Alice A. Pike, Treasurer | \$ 700.00 |
| Everett H. King, Selectman, B. of H. P. W..... | 250.00 |
| Jeremiah Houlihan, election officer | 5.00 |
| Percy L. Haines, election officer | 5.00 |
| Wallace Farwell, election officer | 5.00 |
| Thomas Sullivan, election officer | 5.00 |
| Anna McPhillips, election officer | 5.00 |
| Duncan Cameron, election officer | 5.00 |
| Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor | 500.00 |
| Harry C. Dawson, Town Clerk | 200.00 |
| Herbert L. Trull, Selectman, B. of H. & P. W.... | 250.00 |
| Irving F. French, Chairman, selectmen, B. of H. and P. W. | 300.00 |
| May L. Larrabee, school committee | 75.00 |
| Gay B. Gray, school committee | 75.00 |
| Austin F. French school committee | 75.00 |
| Harry C. Dawson, clerk of registrars | 30.00 |
| George McCoy, registrar | 25.00 |

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|---|-------------|
| Herbert Fairbrother registrar | 25.00 |
| William H. Bennett, registrar..... | 25.00 |
| Chester M. Roper, road commissioner | 100.00 |
| Thomas P. Sawyer, road commissioner..... | 100.00 |
| John T. Gale, road commissioner..... | 100.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 2,860.00 |
| Unexpended | <hr/> |
| | \$ 140.00 |

INCIDENTALS

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,000.00 |
|---------------------|-------------|

Expenditures

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| Everett H. King, traveling expenses..... | \$ 27.00 |
| Everett H. King, expenses attending Selectmen's Asso. | 6.00 |
| Irving F. French, expenses attending Select- men's Asso. | 6.00 |
| Irving F. French, transporting boys to CCC camp | 5.00 |
| Irving F. French, expenses at hearing..... | 6.00 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones..... | 261.62 |
| John E. Lawson, M. D., reporting birth..... | .25 |
| Alice A. Pike, expenses to Boston..... | 15.00 |
| Director of Accounts, approval of notes..... | 16.00 |
| Appleton National Bank, safety deposit box..... | 5.50 |
| Harry C. Dawson, acknowledging deeds..... | 2.00 |
| Harry C. Dawson, bonds for Treasurer..... | 121.50 |
| Harry C. Dawson, recording births, deaths and marriages | 90.50 |
| A. J. Fairgrieve, premium on Town Clerk's bond | 5.00 |
| A. J. Fairgrieve, P. O. box rent..... | 3.20 |
| Cyril L. Barker, services as Fish and Game Warden | 25.00 |
| Charles Green, services as dog officer..... | 29.00 |
| Dr. T. Laurin, reporting birth..... | .25 |
| Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Asso. dues..... | 6.00 |
| Wilbur K. Foss, painting signs for Memorial Squares | 15.00 |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., paint..... | 1.22 |
| James W. Bancroft, dog officer..... | 54.50 |
| Charles D. Phillips, services as Fish & Game Warden | 75.00 |
| Lowell Humane Society, disposing of dogs..... | 9.00 |
| Wilder Grain Co., cement..... | 1.95 |
| Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of town lot and tomb | 10.00 |

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|---|-------|-----------------|
| George K. James, paid express..... | .35 | |
| William Pringle, care of Old Cemetery..... | 5.00 | |
| William Pringle, care of soldiers' graves and labor in South Cemetery..... | 38.00 | |
| Elsie Burgess, clerical services..... | 9.00 | |
| Howard, Rogers & Sherburne, legal services.... | 22.30 | |
| North Tewksbury Garage, well cover..... | 2.25 | |
| Bennett Brothers, labor..... | 2.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 876.39 |
| Unexpended | | <hr/> \$ 123.61 |

BOARD OF HEALTH

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,200.00 |
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Expenditures

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|--|----------|-----------------|
| F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies..... | \$ 32.17 | |
| Lakeville State Sanatorium, care of Town case.. | 137.00 | |
| First National Stores Inc., groceries | 8.15 | |
| Dr. John P. Mahoney, services at Dental clinic.. | 220.50 | |
| D. F. Beal, dental supplies..... | 3.10 | |
| Pitman-Moore Co., rabies vaccine..... | 15.35 | |
| Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services..... | 353.00 | |
| Wilbur K. Foss, painting and erecting sign..... | 4.75 | |
| Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, hospital care..... | 99.00 | |
| City of Lowell, treatment at Lowell clinic..... | 1.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 874.02 |
| Unexpended | | <hr/> \$ 325.98 |

MEMORIAL DAY

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|---------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation | \$ 250.00 |
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Expenditures

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|--|----------|-----------|
| William Regan, services of Band..... | \$ 82.00 | |
| F. I. Carter & Sons, flowers..... | 17.50 | |
| Rita O'Donoghue, soloist..... | 15.00 | |
| Bessie Koebele, accompanist..... | 2.50 | |
| Royal K. Hayes, orator..... | 15.00 | |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, programs and tickets..... | 5.00 | |
| Ladies Aid Society, dinners..... | 100.00 | |
| J. D. Kershaw, expenses | 6.00 | |
| Winthrop Jones, flags..... | 7.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 250.00 |

STREET LIGHTING

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 5,600.00 |
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Expenditures

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|---|----------|
| Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights..... | 5,360.10 |
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| Unexpended | \$ 239.90 |
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LIBRARY

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,100.00 |
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| Dog Tax | 321.16 |
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| | \$ 1,421.16 |
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Expenditures

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|---------------------------------|----|--------|
| DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books..... | \$ | 806.10 |
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| Gaylord Bros. Inc., supplies..... | | 43.12 |
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| Jean Karr, subscriptions..... | | 16.15 |
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|---|--|------|
| Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses to Boston..... | | 6.00 |
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|--------------------------------------|--|-------|
| William Brooks, asst. librarian..... | | 15.00 |
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| Blanche King, asst. librarian..... | | 122.25 |
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| Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian..... | | 175.00 |
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| P. O. box rent..... | | 1.80 |
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| Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions..... | | 45.50 |
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| Ruth W. Smith, expenses to Boston..... | | 27.25 |
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|------------------------------------|--|------|
| C. B. Coburn Co., balance due..... | | 1.13 |
|------------------------------------|--|------|

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| Proctor Ramsden, asst. librarian..... | | 15.00 |
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| Delbert Nash, asst. librarian..... | | 30.00 |
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| Edgar Smith, transporting books..... | | 87.50 |
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| | \$ 1,391.80 |
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| Unexpended | \$ 29.36 |
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TOWN HALL

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 3,200.00 |
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Expenditures

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|---------------------------------|----|-------|
| Lowell Gas Light Co., gas | \$ | 30.61 |
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|-----------------------------------|--|--------|
| Lowell Gas Light Co., stove | | 254.00 |
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|--------------------------------|--|----------|
| George K. James, janitor | | 1,248.00 |
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| George K. James, paid express | | 1.99 |
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| Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity and | | |
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| supplies | | 571.82 |
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|---|--|--------|
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones | | 181.12 |
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|-----------------------------------|--|------|
| Wm. M. Horner, disinfectant | | 1.75 |
|-----------------------------------|--|------|

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| H. C. Curtis, labor | 3.00 | |
| George Brabant, labor | 3.00 | |
| Goodco Sanitary Products, disinfectant..... | 27.00 | |
| G. C. Prince & Son, supplies | 11.20 | |
| John H. Seifer, repairing clock | 18.00 | |
| C. B. Dolge Co., supplies | 15.78 | |
| George B. Robbins Disinfectant Co. Inc., supplies | 2.87 | |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., brushes | 1.70 | |
| S. S. Kresge Co., supplies | 6.60 | |
| Walter W. Coburn, tuning piano | 3.50 | |
| Bennett Bros., servicing pump | 3.00 | |
| Wilbur K. Foss, painting sign | 1.00 | |
| A. G. Pollard Co., kitchen supplies | 15.77 | |
| Osterman Coal Co., coal for Legion Hall | 12.50 | |
| C. B. Coburn Co., supplies | 10.49 | |
| North Tewksbury Garage, labor and material.... | 5.30 | |
| Arthur Tremblay, supplies | 1.75 | |
| A. F. French & Co., paper | 23.79 | |
| F. & E. Check Writer Sales Co., repairing check register | 4.00 | |
| Walter W. Lavelle, labor and supplies | 6.00 | |
| Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service charge | 5.00 | |
| F. W. Woolworth Co., supplies | 1.80 | |
| Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers | 10.00 | |
| Franklin Sheet Metal Co., repairing roof | 33.35 | |
| Makepeace Inc., blue prints | 1.71 | |
| Anthony Cidado, replacing switch and repairs.... | 2.25 | |
| Daniel T. Sullivan, coal | 332.95 | |
| Frank P. McCartin Co., brackets | 1.40 | |
| Lull & Hartford, changing safe combination | 5.00 | |
| Middlesex Supply Co., supplies | 2.85 | |
| Napoleon Bouche, filing saw | .50 | |
| A. A. Smith & Co., repairing typewriter | 2.00 | |
| J. R. Smith, painting Legion Hall | 61.85 | |
| The Robertson Co., linoleum | 215.00 | |
| Wilder Grain Co., cement | 11.70 | |
| | | \$ 3,152.90 |
| Unexpended | | \$ 47.10 |

GENERAL

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|---|--------------|
| Merchants National Bank, paid notes nos. 196, 197, 198 | \$115,000.00 |
| Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. district tax | 763.60 |
| Middlesex Co. Treasurer, dog tax | 768.40 |

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| Middlesex Co. Treasurer, county tax | 6,784.44 | |
| Commonwealth of Mass. State Tax..... | 8,085.00 | |
| Civil War Veterans..... | 5.00 | |
| State Parks & Reservations..... | 172.53 | |
| Second National Bank | | |
| paid notes Nos. 207-208..... | 50,000.00 | |
| | | <hr/> \$181,578.97 |

MOTH DEPARTMENT

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,000.00 |
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Expenditures

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|---|-----------|-----------------|
| Harris M. Briggs, labor..... | \$ 681.60 | |
| Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline and oil..... | 5.81 | |
| Nelson J. Brown, paid for welding nozzle..... | .90 | |
| Nelson J. Brown, labor..... | 40.00 | |
| Ashby Nash, labor..... | 20.00 | |
| Charles Perry, labor | 16.00 | |
| Thomas P. Sawyer, double team on sprayer..... | 40.00 | |
| Raymond Briggs, labor..... | 1.00 | |
| Frost Insecticide Co., sprayer and arsenate of lead | 63.52 | |
| C. B. Coburn Co., arsenate of lead..... | 6.24 | |
| John Dupee, labor..... | 64.00 | |
| Napoleon Boucher, labor..... | 44.00 | |
| Lowell Iron & Steel Co., irons, bolts, etc. | 10.32 | |
| | | <hr/> \$ 993.39 |
| Unexpended | | <hr/> \$ 6.61 |

TREE WARDEN

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,200.00 |
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Expenditures

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| Harris M. Briggs, labor..... | \$ 489.60 |
| Harris M. Briggs, paid for tar..... | .75 |
| H. C. Curtis, labor..... | 7.00 |
| Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline..... | 6.00 |
| Harris M. Briggs, Jr., labor..... | 8.00 |
| J. T. Williamson, making truss rods & tree irons | 4.50 |
| Napoleon Boucher, filing saws and labor..... | 319.00 |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing..... | 6.75 |
| R. P. Briggs, labor..... | 4.00 |
| George Brabant, use of truck and labor..... | 16.00 |
| Wm. H. Dewing, sharpening saws..... | 2.00 |

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| Bartlett & Dow Co., tools and supplies..... | 52.27 | |
| Middlesex Supply Co., tree pruner..... | 2.25 | |
| Lincoln Gerrish, labor..... | 122.00 | |
| Nelson Brown, labor..... | 16.00 | |
| John L. Dupee labor..... | 142.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 1,198.12 |
| Unexpended | | \$ 1.88 |

INTEREST

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| Appropriation | \$ 1,000.00 |
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Expenditures

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|--|-----------|-----------|
| Second National Bank, interest on notes nos. 205, 206, 207 discounted | \$ 493.45 | |
| First National Bank, interest on notes no. 209 to no. 212 discounted | 244.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 737.45 |
| Unexpended | | \$ 262.55 |

POLICE AND EQUIPMENT

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 5,000.00 |
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Expenditures

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Cyril L. Barker, Chief | \$ 1,820.00 |
| Chester E. Burgess, services | 1,456.00 |
| C. Abbott Battles, services | 363.75 |
| George T. Everett, tires and tubes | 23.41 |
| A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps | 9.00 |
| Isidore J. Trudel, transporting prisoner | 2.00 |
| City of Lowell, use of jail | 31.50 |
| City of Lowell, ambulance service | 10.00 |
| Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline and oil..... | 303.92 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones | 172.14 |
| Ross E. Sargent, services | 176.50 |
| Lauchie McPhail, services | 220.50 |
| North Tewksbury Garage, labor and supplies ... | 5.50 |
| Billerica Motor Sales Co., exchange of Ford car | 200.00 |
| Billerica Motor Sales Co., labor and supplies... | 48.56 |
| Golen's Garage, labor and parts | 7.60 |
| Myer's Auto Supply Co., gasoline and supplies... | 10.60 |
| G. C. Prince & Son Inc., supplies | 1.35 |
| Albert H. Evans, labor on automobile | 13.25 |

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| Commissioner of Public Safety, license to carry firearms | 35 | |
| E. G. Hinton, gasoline | 9.65 | |
| Roger Buck Garage, labor | 1.00 | |
| Daniel Sterling, services | 36.50 | |
| Commonwealth Traffic Co., painting signs and lines on road..... | 55.00 | |
| Belmont Supply Co., whistles and chains | 2.48 | |
| Gorham Fire Equipment Co., hand light | 3.14 | |
| Graybar Electric Co. Inc., antenna bracket mounting | 3.60 | |
| Frank P. McCartin Co., tubes | 5.43 | |
| Wilbur K. Ross, lettering door | 1.00 | |
| Arthur Tremblay, gasoline | 3.45 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 4,997.18 |
| Unexpended | \$ | 2.82 |

PARK AND COMMONS

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|---------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 200.00 |
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Expenditures

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|--|-------|--------|
| Bartlett & Dow Co., lawn mower & supplies..... | 39.96 | |
| Robert Wolfe, painting flag pole..... | 70.00 | |
| Harris M. Briggs, care of common and flag..... | 90.00 | |
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| | \$ | 199.96 |
| Unexpended | \$ | .04 |

FIRE DEPARTMENT

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 5,000.00 |
| Transferred from Reserved Trust Fund..... | | 250.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 5,250.00 |

Expenditures

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|---|--------|----------|
| A. S. Haines, chief..... | \$ | 1,820.00 |
| Alexander Suprenant, care of fire house..... | 40.00 | |
| Fuel oil | 15.50 | |
| Leo Bonugli, storage of truck..... | 90.00 | |
| Lowell Electric Light Corp, electricity..... | 87.18 | |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones..... | 147.29 | |
| J. B. Coburn Co., supplies | 53.68 | |
| Donovan Harness & Auto Supply Co., supplies.. | 11.90 | |
| Scannell Boiler Works, iron..... | .75 | |

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|---|--------|
| No. Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts, gasoline | 178.10 |
| North Tewksbury Garage, storage..... | 77.00 |
| E. A. Wilson Co., coal..... | 81.50 |
| E. A. Wilson Co., oil burner with tank..... | 230.00 |
| E. A. Wilson Co., fuel oil | 17.50 |
| Wilbur K. Foss, lettering and striping truck..... | 8.00 |
| The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies..... | 14.56 |
| Charles W. Knox & Son, insurance on firemen.... | 187.50 |
| American Fire Equipment Co., supplies..... | 149.59 |
| Lowell Iron & Steel Co., supplies..... | .35 |
| Wishing Moon Service Station, gasoline and oil | 18.92 |
| Daniel E. McQuade, labor and material..... | 9.64 |
| Arthur Tremblay, gasoline and supplies..... | 109.50 |
| J. R. Dubuque, labor..... | 3.00 |
| Middlesex Supply Co., pipe, paint, etc. | 55.82 |
| Fred Kennedy, lunches..... | 13.75 |
| Fred Vinecour, gasoline..... | 1.80 |
| The Adams Hardware & Paint Co., hardware..... | .63 |
| Albert Bancroft, labor..... | 3.50 |
| Pond Street Garage, inspection and grease..... | 3.00 |
| Town of Wilmington, rental of hydrants..... | 120.00 |
| W. L. Farwell, labor on fire barn..... | 60.43 |
| Tower Motor Parts Corp., parts..... | .90 |
| Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber and supplies..... | 46.82 |
| Osterman Coal Co., coal | 13.20 |
| E. G. Hinton, gasoline and oil..... | 1.55 |
| Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline..... | 9.47 |
| Anthony Cidado, range oil..... | .72 |
| The Red Roof, lunches..... | 4.40 |

LABOR AT FIRES

| | |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Everett Haines | 114.25 |
| Charles Bowden | 72.25 |
| Daniel Sterling | 15.50 |
| William Millett | 102.25 |
| Anthony Cidado | 114.50 |
| Leonard Gath | 77.75 |
| Harold Mills | 65.25 |
| Albert Bancroft | 55.75 |
| George James | 99.75 |
| Harry Gleason | 59.50 |
| Harry Patterson | 48.00 |
| Andrew Kohanski | 93.00 |
| Walter Roberts | 40.25 |
| Wallace Farwell | 69.00 |
| Omer Blanchard | 36.25 |
| William Bailey | 71.75 |
| Edward Hoyt | 35.00 |

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| James Bancroft | 37.25 | |
| Frank Corr | 57.00 | |
| Alexander Suprenant | 47.25 | |
| Fred Carter | 32.25 | |
| Thomas Sullivan | 54.25 | |
| Ross Sargent | 1.25 | |
| John Smith | 25.50 | |
| Kempton James | 6.00 | |
| John Carter | 31.50 | |
| Francis Marsh, Jr. | 12.00 | |
| Edward Stanton, Jr. | 17.50 | |
| Fred King | 27.25 | |
| Victor Lundquist | 18.00 | |
| Patrick Lacey | 6.75 | |
| Leslie Burgess | 2.75 | |
| William Shanley | 10.75 | |
| Edgar Hinton | 4.50 | |
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| | \$ | 5,249.20 |
| Unexpended | \$ | .80 |

ASSESSORS

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|-------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Transferred from Reserved Fund..... | | 300.00 |
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| | Expenditures | \$ | 2,300.00 |
| A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes..... | \$ | 19.98 | |
| George R. Barnstead & Son, excise cards..... | | 1.00 | |
| Buzzell King, services..... | | 857.50 | |
| Albion Felker, services..... | | 317.25 | |
| Albion Felker, expenses at Convention..... | | 2.00 | |
| Wilbur K. Foss, services..... | | 849.00 | |
| Wilbur K. Foss, expenses at Convention..... | | 4.00 | |
| The Davol Printing House, supplies..... | | 20.88 | |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones..... | | 31.78 | |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing..... | | 2.25 | |
| G. C. Prince & Son, supplies..... | | 1.90 | |
| Alice A. Pike, expenses to Cambridge taking abstracts and probates..... | | 87.50 | |
| Hobbs & Warren Inc., books and supplies | | 37.12 | |
| Spaulding-Moss Co., poll list | | 55.00 | |
| Donaldson's, fountain pen | | 3.50 | |
| Robinson Seal Co., supplies | | 3.11 | |
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| | | \$ | 2,293.77 |
| Unexpended | | \$ | 6.23 |

MOTOR EXCISE TAX REFUND

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|--|----------------|
| James F. Lawler | \$ 3.28 |
| Ellen Cooney | 2.10 |
| Anderson Bros. | .42 |
| John Dapkrewezc | .42 |
| John Jop | 4.15 |
| Herman E. Thompson, or Town of Tewksbury | 7.27 |
| Francis Belton, or Town of Tewksbury | 8.36 |
| Mary J. Keene | 4.33 |
| Herbert L. Trull | 5.62 |
| Thomas E. Watson | 1.30 |
| John Bradley Jr. | 3.19 |
| George Bugbee | 1.12 |
| John H. Kelley | 5.55 |
| George A. O'Connell, or Town of Tewksbury | 1.12 |
| Romeo W. Roberts | 4.50 |
| David Hanlon | 2.33 |
| Grace V. Burnette | 3.18 |
| Jesse Trull | 4.05 |
| | <hr/> \$ 62.29 |

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

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|---------------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 6.00.00 |
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EXPENDITURES

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| A. H. Jewell, inspection of meat and animals.... | 595.00 |
| Unexpended | <hr/> \$ 5.00 |

COLLECTION OF TAXES

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 4,000.00 |
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Expenditures

| | |
|--|----------|
| Howard, Rogers & Sherburne, legal services..... | \$ 29.38 |
| Jane E. Clark, refund | 41.63 |
| Eli & Blanche Moniz, refund | 13.32 |
| Helen A. & Robert J. Hussey, refund | 18.32 |
| Robert W. Barron, collector, commission | 284.14 |
| G. C. Prince & Son, supplies | 16.55 |
| A. W. LaFond & Co., tax and excise bills | 68.92 |
| Land Court, Boston, petition for new certificate no. | 3.00 |
| Picken Printing Co., printing | 6.86 |

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| A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps | 139.00 | |
| Harry C. Dawson, premium on Collectors' bonds | 318.00 | |
| Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies..... | 34.59 | |
| Alice A. Pike, writing deeds..... | 228.00 | |
| Massachusetts Envelope Co., envelopes..... | 12.40 | |
| Middlesex North Registry, disclaimers..... | 7.00 | |
| Middlesex North Registry, recording deeds..... | 123.60 | |
| Alice A. Pike, commission on taxes..... | 1,469.15 | |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing..... | 4.00 | |
| Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., preparing and advertising tax sale and commission a/c Robert W. Barron | 794.30 | |
| Rogers & Sherburne, legal services..... | 151.95 | |
| Arthur Wells, refund on taxes..... | 6.30 | |
| Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., adding machine.. | 184.00 | |
| Harry C. Dawson, acknowledging redemption deeds | 12.75 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 3,967.16 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | \$ | 32.84 |

W. P. A. FUND

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Brought Forward from 1936..... | \$ | 1,015.44 |
| Appropriation | | 6,000.00 |
| Transferred from Welfare Acct..... | | 512.76 |
| Transferred from Reserved Fund..... | | 250.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 7,778.20 |

Expenditures

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|--|----|----------|
| Ralph H. Whitehead, services..... | \$ | 1,040.00 |
| Trips to Boston | | 114.00 |
| Other expenses | | 21.18 |
| Dorothy E. Ackles, services..... | | 440.00 |
| Use of auto..... | | 2.00 |
| George Brabant, trucking..... | | 30.00 |
| Golen's Garage, labor and truck parts..... | | 104.25 |
| Walter Lavelle, janitor..... | | 81.00 |
| Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts..... | | 318.58 |
| Walter Roberts, trucking..... | | 13.00 |
| Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity..... | | 53.93 |
| Fred Garlick, trucking..... | | 152.87 |
| H. C. Curtis, use of auto..... | | 8.00 |
| A. A. Smith & Co., rental and purchase of typewriter | | 42.00 |
| Standard Oil Co. of New York, gasoline and oil.. | | 565.16 |
| Middlesex Supply Co., supplies..... | | 187.67 |
| Middlesex Supply Co., pipe, cement, etc..... | | 705.39 |

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| The Phaneuf Press, books and cards..... | 31.25 |
| Melvin G. Rogers, legal services..... | 14.53 |
| Lowell Auto Lamp Co., repairs, etc. | 29.80 |
| G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies..... | 8.10 |
| Portersfield Garage, repairs | 69.45 |
| Lowell Glass Co., Inc., glass | 2.75 |
| Wilmington Coal Co., coal..... | 265.00 |
| A. B. Moore, supplies..... | 6.85 |
| F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies..... | 2.75 |
| P. J. Roux, sharpening tools, etc. | 26.50 |
| Bulley's Filling Station, oil and gasoline..... | 7.59 |
| Russell Lumber Co., sash and frame..... | 2.02 |
| James Baxter, janitor..... | 56.00 |
| Treasurer of United States, expenses for Ad- ministration of Surplus Commodity | 85.95 |
| Leo Bonugli, gravel | 8.20 |
| Koplow Trimming Co. Inc., supplies | 58.20 |
| Lowell Fertilizer Co., fertilizer | 75.70 |
| Arthur Jones, time books | 1.00 |
| Ernest Treadwell, repairing truck | 8.25 |
| North Tewksbury Garage, labor and supplies | 70.03 |
| Arthur Tremblay, supplies | 56.39 |
| Singer Sewing Machine Co., needles | 1.80 |
| James Sheehan, trucking | 68.62 |
| Charles Baxter, janitor | 84.00 |
| Anthony Cidado, repairs | 7.26 |
| Berger Metal Culvert Co. of N. E., pipe | 33.52 |
| Central Mills Supply Co. Inc., chain | 2.65 |
| John McLellan, trucking | 15.00 |
| Alfred Lawler, trucking, labor and grease..... | 87.50 |
| Austin F. & Jesse J. French, wood | 10.00 |
| Ralph's Used Car and Parts Co., Ford truck..... | 265.00 |
| Mark Courser, repairs | 2.00 |
| Pasquale DiPalma, labor | 65.50 |
| William Shanley, labor | 3.57 |
| Anderson Bros., dynamite | 16.20 |
| Harry Sawyer, transportation | 92.00 |
| Acme Welding Works, welding | 1.10 |
| Davis & Sargent Lumber Co., lumber | 225.75 |
| Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of trucks | 6.00 |
| B. L. Makepeace Inc., blue prints | 1.93 |
| Ralph Garland, plowing | 66.25 |
| Wishing Moon Service Station, gasoline and oil | 27.71 |
| Herbert W. & Marion Pillsbury, loam for High School | 350.00 |
| George Hill, labor | 4.75 |

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| Nelson Brown, labor | 4.75 | |
| Wm. E. Lancaster(surveying and making plans of field) | 80.00 | |
| The Thompson Hardware Co., supplies | 1.00 | |
| Scannell Boiler Works, tank | 85.00 | |
| Stanley Cisluycis, labor | 19.50 | |
| Bennett Bros., driving well and equipment | 32.00 | |
| Stanley Alex, labor | 34.25 | |
| Donat Miron, labor | 56.25 | |
| E. S. Williams, cement blocks, pipe, etc. | 64.63 | |
| Dana F. Perkins, blue prnts | 1.30 | |
| First National Stores, gloves and pails | 1.35 | |
| George Cleghorn, labor | 6.50 | |
| The Barrett Co., road oil | 358.20 | |
| United Treasurer, procuring material | 288.00 | |
| John R. Craig, trucking and keys | 2.15 | |
| Mathias-Hart Co., rubber boots | 29.92 | |
| F. H. Woodruff & Sons, grass seed | 153.00 | |
| Francis Kane, masonry | 10.00 | |
| Charles J. McCarthy, repairs | 3.75 | |
| H. W. Pillsbury, tool house | 20.00 | |
| Bartlett & Dow Co., seeder | 5.00 | |
| Margaret Livingston, patterns | .45 | |
| Franklin Sheet Metal Co., repairing furnace... | 32.40 | |
| E. G. Hinton, gasoline and oil | 2.30 | |
| George J. Bresth Co., boiler parts | 11.50 | |
| J. T. Williamson, repairs | 5.80 | |
| Jacob Halphorshon, stones and sand..... | 3.75 | |
| Thomas F. Sullivan, repairs..... | 12.00 | |
| | | \$ 7,528.20 |
| Carried forward to 1938..... | | \$ 250.00 |

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICE AND INSURANCE RATES

| | | |
|---|----------|----------|
| Brought forward from 1936..... | \$ 39.25 | |
| Appropriation | 50.00 | |
| | | \$ 89.25 |
| Expenditures | | |
| William Carter, expenses to Boston..... | \$ 7.85 | |
| F. I. Carter, telephone charges..... | 2.90 | |
| | | \$ 10.75 |
| Unexpended | | \$ 78.50 |
| 4-H CLUB | | |
| Appropriation | | \$ 50.00 |

Expenditures

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|---------------------------------------|----|-------|----------|
| Omer Blanchard, transportation | \$ | 11.50 | |
| Anthony Furtado, transportation | | 6.50 | |
| Roger R. Mitchell, supplies..... | | 12.50 | |
| Emma Maclaren, supplies..... | | 5.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 35.50 |
| Unexpended | \$ | | 14.50 |

UNPAID BILLS—WELFARE

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|---------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 2,238.00 |
| Expenditures | \$ | 2,238.00 |

SHAWSHEEN SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

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|---------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 1,899.00 |
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Expenditures

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|---|----|----------|-------------|
| Central Saving Bank, interest on note No. 106.... | \$ | 99.00 | |
| Paid note No. 106..... | | 1,800.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 1,899.00 |

REIMBURSEMENT FOR PROPERTY DAMAGE ON CHAPMAN ROAD

| | | |
|---------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 450.00 |
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Expenditures

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| Anderson Brothers, damages as awarded at Town Meeting | \$ | 450.00 |
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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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|---------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 225.00 |
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Expenditures

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|--|----|--------|-------|
| D. J. Cameron, labor and use of machine for 1937 | \$ | 200.00 | |
| Unexpended | \$ | | 25.00 |

ATHLETICS AND EQUIPMENT

| | | |
|---------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 350.00 |
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Expenditures

| | | | |
|--|----|--------|---------------|
| Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., football pants and baseballs | \$ | 69.75 | |
| Athletic Trainers Supply Co., football shoes, jerseys, etc. | | 183.65 | |
| Lull & Hartford Co., athletic goods..... | | 92.80 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 346.20 |
| Unexpended | | | <hr/> \$ 3.80 |

TAX TITLE FORECLOSURE

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|---------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 800.00 |
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Expenditures

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|--|----|--------|-----------------|
| Land Court, Boston, foreclosure fees..... | \$ | 340.00 | |
| Middlesex No. Registry, recording petitions..... | | 15.90 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 355.90 |
| Unexpended | | | <hr/> \$ 444.10 |

TRACTOR LOAN

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 2,412.00 |
| Merchants National Bank, paid note No. 199..... | \$ | 2,400.00 |
| Interest | | 12.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 2,412.00 |

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

| | | |
|--|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 6,471.25 |
| Merchants National Bank, paid note no. 187 and notes no. 129,-132 | \$ | 5,000.00 |
| Merchants National Bank, interest on loans..... | | 1,471.25 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 6,471.25 |

REMODELING LEGION HALL BUILDING

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 2,250.00 |
| To be raised in levy of 1938 | | 2,250.00 |
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| | \$ | 4,500.00 |

Expenditures

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|--|----|----------|---------------|
| James E. Allen, architect, surveying plans and specifications | \$ | 175.00 | |
| James Blackstock & Son, a/c contract | | 4,319.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$ 4,494.00 |
| Unexpended | | | <hr/> \$ 6.00 |

Cemetery Trust Funds

Receipts

| | | |
|---|-----------|-------|
| Central Savings Bank, Samuel Jaques Fund, | \$ | 2.50 |
| Central Savings Bank, Thomas Bridge Fund, ... | | 2.50 |
| Central Savings Bank, Jeremiah Kittredge Fund | | 2.50 |
| Central Savings Bank, William Prindle Fund | | 2.50 |
| Central Savings Bank, Ebenezer Page Fund..... | | 5.00 |
| | <u>\$</u> | 15.00 |

Expenditures

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| Tewksbury Cemetery Corporation | |
| Care of the Samuel Jaques Lot | \$ 2.50 |
| Care of the Thomas Bridge lot | 2.50 |
| Care of the Jeremiah Kittredge lot | 2.50 |
| William Pringle, care or the Wm. Prindle lot.... | 2.50 |
| William Pringle, care of the Ebenezer Page lot | 5.00 |
| | <hr/> \$ 15.00 |

Municipal Insurance

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,500.00 |
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Deposits

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|--------------------------------------|----|----------|
| Appleton National Bank | \$ | 500.00 |
| Union Old Lowell National Bank | | 500.00 |
| City Institution for Savings | | 500.00 |
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| | \$ | 1,500.00 |

SUMMARY

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|---|--------------|
| Highways | \$ 22,626.43 |
| Highway Machinery Fund | 5,807.02 |
| Pleasant Street | 3,595.00 |
| North Street | 9,123.65 |
| Chapter 90, Maintenance of Highways..... | 5,156.30 |
| Rebuilding and Repairing Bridges Over Shawsheen River.. | 992.03 |
| Schools | 54,800.00 |
| Vocational Schools | 946.21 |
| Public Welfare | 12,624.75 |
| Aid to Dependent Children..... | 4,184.00 |
| Aid, State and Military..... | 1,249.02 |
| Old Age Assistance..... | 12,658.06 |
| Stationery and Printing..... | 808.69 |
| Salaries | 2,860.00 |
| Incidentals | 876.39 |
| Board of Health | 874.02 |
| Memorial Day | 250.00 |
| Street Lighting | 5,360.10 |

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| Library | 1,391.80 |
| Town Hall | 3,152.90 |
| General | 181,578.97 |
| Moth Department | 993.39 |
| Tree Warden | 1,198.12 |
| Interest | 737.45 |
| Police and Equipment | 4,997.18 |
| Parks and Commons | 199.96 |
| Fire Department | 5,249.20 |
| Assessors | 2,293.77 |
| Motor Excise Tax Refund | 62.29 |
| Inspection of Meat and Animals | 595.00 |
| Collection of Taxes | 3,967.16 |
| W. P. A. Fund | 7,528.20 |
| Committee on Public Service and Insurance Rates..... | 10.75 |
| 4-H Club | 35.50 |
| Unpaid Bills — Welfare | 2,238.00 |
| Shawsheen School Building Loan | 1,899.00 |
| Reimbursement for Property Damage on Chapman Road... | 450.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 200.00 |
| Athletics and Equipment | 346.20 |
| Tax Title Foreclosure | 355.90 |
| Tractor Loan | 2,412.00 |
| High School Building Loan | 6,471.25 |
| Remodeling Legion Hall Building | 4,494.00 |
| Cemetery Trust Funds | 15.00 |
| Municipal Insurance | 1,500.00 |

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| Total Expenditures | \$379,164.66 |
| Cash on hand | \$ 98.46 |
| Cash in bank subject to check | 52,702.18 |
| | <hr/> \$ 52,800.64 |

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| Total | \$431,965.30 |
| Treasurer's receipts | \$431,965.30 |

RESERVED FUND ACCOUNT

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|---------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,800.00 |
|---------------------|-------------|

Transfers

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|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Old Age Assistance Account | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Assessors' Account | 300.00 |
| Fire Department | 250.00 |
| W. P. A. Account | 250.00 |
| | <hr/> \$ 1,800.00 |

TRUST FUNDS

Condition of funds, December 31, 1937

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Foster School Fund | \$ 1,084.25 |
| Municipal Building Insurance Fund | 11,334.60 |
| William Prindle Cemetery Fund | 100.42 |
| Louise Bridge Cemetery Fund | 167.52 |
| Martha Page Cemetery Fund | 391.36 |
| Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund | 122.87 |
| Samuel Jaques Cemetery Fund | 122.86 |
| Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund | 620.17 |
| Peter Clark Cemetery Fund | 105.38 |

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of Town Officials who were authorized to receive and expend money, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1937, and to the best of my knowledge they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and \$52,800.64 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY,

Town Auditor

Personally appeared before me on this 22nd Day of January, 1938, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN,

Justice of the Peace.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex, ss.:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Wednesday the 2nd day of February, 1938 at 12 o'clock noon to act on the following articles:

- ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and Constables, (Three), all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve two years. The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at 12 noon and close at 8 P. M. And to act on the following articles, commencing at 7 P. M.
- ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.
- ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.
- ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what compensation the Town will vote for the collection of taxes, and what rate and from what date interest will be charged on taxes of 1938 unpaid after Nov. 1, 1938 or any other action relative thereto.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign Any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,697.63 to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, and for the Town's share of the expense under the provisions of Chapter 331 of the Acts of 1933, which provides for the settlement of certain claims of the Commonwealth against the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital District, including interest or discount on temporary notes issued therefor, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen and treasurer to petition the land court for a foreclosure of tax titles held by the town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, and to see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate therefor.

ART. 12. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of tax titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided in Section 52 of Chapter 60 of the General Laws as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Welfare to set aside a part of their appropriation to be used in conjunction with either Federal, State or County funds whenever in their opinion the pledging of such a sum of money will add to the total amount available for Welfare purposes.

ART. 14. "To see if the Town will vote to continue for another year the committee appointed under Article 14 at the Annual Town Meeting in February 1937 to represent the Town in Auto Insurance Rates, Fire Insurance Rates, Telephone Rates, etc., with the proper authority to attend hearings when necessary and appropriate a sum to cover necessary expenses."

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 or any other sum for the improvement of Pleasant Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 or any other sum for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the town for road machinery purposes, or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Washington Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Martin Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept Cross Street from Franklin to Oak Streets as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries as shown on plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Elm Street from Main Street to State Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any action relative thereto.

- ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walnut Street from Main to State Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any action relative thereto.
- ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept Glenwood Road from Florence Avenue to Franklin Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk, and make necessary taking of land by right of eminent domain to extend same, and appropriate sum necessary to construct extension.
- ART. 26. To see if the Town will adopt the following By-law: The Town Clerk shall include a copy of the minutes of all meetings held during the current year in the Annual Report of the Town Officers of the Town of Tewksbury.
- ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or to take any action relative to same.
- ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1939 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.
- ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.
- ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote a sum not exceeding \$10,000.00 for Pipe and Hydrants for a water main on Main Street from Chandler's Corner to the Foster School, and from Main Street to the High School on Pleasant Street, or take any other action relative thereto.
- ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 to purchase six inch water pipe to be laid from the end of the Lowell Water Main on Andover Street, the labor for excavating and laying same to be furnished by W.P.A., or take any action in regard to same.

ART. 32. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for the Reserve Fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40, General Laws, Tercentenary edition.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to limit the Tax Rate to \$28 per thousand, and without a rise in Valuation of Property.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote not to have a Special Town Meeting during the year 1938.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to have a Purchase and Sale Agent, to be appointed by the Selectmen. And to receive a salary of not more than \$100 per year, to be taken from each department on a percentage basis.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to deed to Louis McEvoy of Brown Street, a lot of land 10 feet wide, and 191.09 feet long on the westerly side of McEvoy Avenue. This being a lot of land taken by the Town in 1936, and in excess of what was needed for street purposes.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to sell a plot of land of approximately 2,700 sq. ft. located in the rear of the Town Hall, to Dewey Coombs, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to remove ledge on Trull Road, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 39. To see if the Town will vote to ask the Division of Accounts for an audit of the Town Accounts every year, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 40. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to complete the remodeling of the Legion Quarters, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 41. To see if the Town will vote to replace in a suitable location in Tewksbury Centre, the watering trough formerly located at the corner of Main and East Street, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 42. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to be known as School Safety Patrol Committee, to establish a School Safety Patrol and to study and supervise School Patrol work, said Committee to consist of six persons to be appointed by the Moderator.

- ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the New Fire Station, to purchase office and sleeping room furniture, and install a shower bath and hot water system, also to put gutters on new addition on building and repair old ones, or take any action thereto.
- ART. 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$425.00 for the Fire Department to purchase lumber to build a tower for drying hose.
- ART. 45. To see if the Town will vote to install two lights on Washington Street, or take any other action relative thereto.
- ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote, in accordance with the recommendation of the Director of Accounts, to place the office of Tax Collector, Treasurer and Town Clerk, under a straight yearly salary basis, exclusive of all other receipts.
- ART. 47. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for W.P.A. works for 1938, or take any action relative to the same.
- ART. 48. To see whether the Town will adopt the following by-law or some modification thereof for the purpose of regulating billboards or other outdoor advertising devices.

REGULATION OF ADVERTISING SIGNS AND BILLBOARDS

SECTION 1. Statutory Authority. In pursuance of the authority granted to towns in Section 29 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws, and pursuant to all other provisions of law, and without relaxing any restrictions now imposed on outdoor advertising devices by Sections 29 to 33 inclusive of said chapter or by any lawful state regulations thereunder, such devices are hereby further restricted in the Town of Tewksbury as provided in the following sections.

SECTION 2. Exemptions. This by-law shall not apply to signs or other devices in or over public ways, described in Sections 1, 2 or 8, of Chapter 85, General Laws, or to signs or other devices on or in the rolling stock, stations, subways or structures of or used by common carriers, except advertising devices on bridges or viaducts or abutments thereof. It also shall not apply to any advertising device legally permitted and maintained on the date of the taking effect of this by-law, until one year after the first day of July next following said date.

SECTION 3. Definitions:

"Advertising devices" shall mean billboards, painted bulletins, poster panels, signs, placards and other outdoor units designed to call public attention to the matter displayed thereon.

"Advertising sign" or **"sign"** shall mean any outdoor advertising device.

"Sign-board" shall mean any structure designed for displaying an outdoor advertisement.

"Highway" or **"street"** shall mean any public way twenty feet or more in width.

"Public park" shall mean a piece of public land of at least five thousand square feet set apart for beauty and public enjoyment.

"Public reservation" shall mean a piece of public land set apart for recreational use, as a state or municipal forest, as a protection to a public water supply, as a memorial, or cemetery, or as a place of unusual scenic or historical interest.

"Permitted" shall mean authorized by an official permit.

"Display" shall mean to make or maintain visible from any highway, public park or reservation.

"Area" of a sign or sign-board shall mean the area of the face view of the entire device, including all attachments except supports and lattice at the base thereof.

"Residential district" shall mean any area zoned as residential.

"Non-conforming business" shall mean a business located in a residential or rural district, other than such rural business as farming or the raising and sale on the same premises of farm, garden or orchard products.

"Lawful sign" shall mean any outdoor advertising device not prohibited by any provision of law or by any lawful state regulation.

"Accessory sign" shall mean any outdoor advertising device which carries only advertisements strictly incidental and subordinate to a principal use of the premises on which it is located, including signs indicating business transacted or goods sold or produced on the premises or an occupant thereof, but not including any sign which is rented or controlled by any party except the owner or occupant of the premises.

"Sign on a wall" shall mean a sign closely attached throughout to and facing with that wall, or on a window or door therein.

"Lot" shall mean a plot of ground containing and devoted to the purposes of a building, or laid out to contain a building, with all required open spaces; or a tract of unbuilt, undivided land under one ownership.

SECTION 4. PROHIBITIONS. No person, firm, association or corporation, except the owner or a tenant occupant of the premises, shall be permitted or allowed to erect, display or maintain any billboard or other outdoor advertising device thereon except in pursuance of written authority from such owner or tenant and unless either the name and address of the party holding such authority or a lawful permit number from the state licensing authority be displayed on such device.

No billboard or other outdoor advertising device shall be erected, displayed, or maintained:

- (a) Upon any rock, tree, fence or pole;
- (b) Within one hundred feet of any church, public building, monument or memorial, or within three hundred feet of any public park, playground, or public reservation, if within view from any portion thereof; except that this provision shall not apply to accessory signs on the walls of buildings;
- (c) If it contains any obscene, indecent or immoral matter;
- (d) Unless all parts and attachments and the ground about the base thereof are kept in neat and safe condition.

SECTION 5. General Restrictions. No advertising sign or signboard shall be permitted or allowed to be so located as to obstruct a view between any points on connecting streets within fifty feet of a corner of the rights of way; or to extend more than twenty feet above the surface on which it stands; or to obstruct any door, window or fire escape on a building; or, if on a roof or wall of a building, to extend above the legal limit of height for such building or wall; or, in a residential district, to extend more than six inches nearer to any boundary of the lot or premises on which it is located than it would be lawful to maintain a building, except as provided in paragraph (c) of Section 6.

SECTION 6. Restrictions in Residential Districts. No person, firm, association or corporation shall erect, display or maintain, or allow to be displayed or maintained on his or its property, in a residential district, and billboard or other outdoor advertising device, except devices specified in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this section.

- (a) Any lawful accessory sign or signs not exceeding five square feet in aggregate area on any one building or lot; or any lawful sign or signs advertising only the sale or rental of the premises, not exceeding a total area of ten square feet; or, on the premises of any public building, public recreation ground, farm, garden, tree-nursery or forest, any lawful accessory signs not exceeding all together fifteen square feet in area within the limits of said premises; or any lawful accessory signs on the front wall of any building occupied by a non-conforming business.

- (b) Any lawful sign displayed by the town, or any sign displayed by the United States, the state or the country relative to government business.
- (c) At any boundary line of the town a lawful sign not exceeding five square feet in area indicating the meetings of any civic organization located therein.
- (d) On property owned or principally occupied by a religious, civic or charitable organization, association of war veterans or the like, any lawful accessory sign displayed by written permission of the Selectmen, with approval of the inspector of buildings if any, for a limited period not exceeding sixty days.

SECTION 7. Administration. Whenever notice of an application to a state authority for a permit for an advertising device to be erected or displayed in the town is received by the Town Clerk or any other town official, he shall immediately transmit it to the Inspector of Buildings or other officer charged with the administration of this by-law. Such officer, or, in the lack of other responsible officer, the Town Clerk, shall thereupon make an examination of the case and, as promptly as possible, within thirty days of the receipt of the application by the town, shall send written notice to the state authority to whom the application is addressed, stating whether or not the proposed advertising device would violate any provisions of this by-law, and, if he finds such violation, specifying what provisions would be violated. In case of such violation, he shall send like notice also to the applicant and to the owner or tenant of the proposed location of the device.

Any person desiring to erect a sign in the town may file a description thereof and of its proposed location with the officer charged with the enforcement of this by-law, who shall thereupon make an examination of the case and shall give written notice to the applicant whether or not the proposed advertising device would violate any provision of this by-law, and if so, what provision.

Said officer shall preserve for record all descriptions, notices of applications, letters and other papers received by him and copies of all notices issued and letters sent by him relating to out-door advertising.

SECTION 8. Penalties and Enforcement. The selectmen or any officer charged with the enforcement of this by-law shall give written notice of any violation of Sections 4, 5, or 6 of this by-law to the party violating the same and to the owner or tenant of the property concerned, with orders to remove promptly any device in violation thereof, and shall cause any party who continues such violation for fifteen days after such notice to be prosecuted; shall pursue appropriate legal processes to restrain the erection or

maintenance of devices in violation of this by-law and to cause their removal or abatement in accordance with Chapter 93, Sections 29, 31 and 33; and shall also notify the state regulatory authority of outdoor advertising of any known violations of lawful state regulations that come to his notice.

SECTION 9.

If any provision of this by-law is declared unconstitutional or illegal by any Court, the validity of the remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 10.

No provision of this by-law shall be construed in such a manner as to be inconsistent with the rules and regulations now or hereafter in force, concerning outdoor advertising, of any state authority having jurisdiction.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands, this twelfth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

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| IRVING F. FRENCH, | } | Selectmen of Tewksbury. |
| EVERETT H. KING. | | |
| HERBERT L. TRULL | | |

Annual Report
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN of TEWKSBURY



Also Report of
Superintendent of Schools
For the Year Ending Dec. 31,
1937

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The work and supervision of the schools have been carried on as usual this year.

Repairs have been made and painting done in all schools and all are in good condition.

A partition was put in the large classroom at the High School, this has proved most convenient as all teachers now have separate classrooms. A partition was also put in the manual training room separating the wood-working from the mechanical drawing.

A hardwood floor has been laid in the domestic science room replacing the linoleum which was originally laid and which proved very unsatisfactory.

"Tewksbury High School" in gold letters was put on the front of the building adding much to its attractiveness.

In calling for an appropriation for 1938 of \$25,000.00 for the High School, attention is called to the fact that if these pupils were sent out of town it would cost approximately \$30,000.00.

Respectfully submitted,

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman,

GUY B. GRAY,

AUSTIN F. FRENCH, Secretary.

Tewksbury School Committee.

The School Committee recommend the sum of \$57,550.00 be appropriated for the Schools for 1938 based upon the following budget:

Elementary Schools

| | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Superintendent | \$ 877.00 |
| Supervisors | 1,300.00 |
| Teachers | 16,550.00 |
| Janitors | 3,060.00 |
| Transportation | 4,200.00 |
| Fuel | 1,200.00 |
| Books and Supplies | 1,400.00 |
| Health | 1,500.00 |
| Insurance | 813.00 |
| District | 150.00 |

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| Miscellaneous | 500.00 |
| Repairs | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 32,550.00 |

High School

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Teachers | \$ 14,000.00 |
| Janitor | 1,300.00 |
| Transportation | 3,000.00 |
| Fuel | 700.00 |
| Supervisors | 400.00 |
| Books and Supplies | 1,400.00 |
| Chemical Supplies | 400.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 2,000.00 |
| Equipment and Repairs | 1,300.00 |
| Insurance | 200.00 |
| Athletics | 300.00 |
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| | \$ 25,000.00 |
| Total | \$ 57,550.00 |

T. H. S. "FOOTBALL NIGHT"

The Chairman and Treasurer of the 1937 Tewksbury High School "Football Night" sponsored by the Parent-Teachers' Association submits the following report.

| Publicity: | Expenditures | Receipts |
|----------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| The Lowell Sun | \$ 2.00 | |
| Mrs. W. H. Dewing | 1.25 | |
| Tewksbury News | 1.00 | |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son | 2.50 | |
| Program: | | |
| F. J. Flemings Est. | 14.00 | |
| J. H. Broadbent & Son | 34.00 | |
| H. J. Patten | 5.00 | |
| Advertising | | 304.00 |
| Football Fan Boards | | 54.75 |
| G. C. Prince & Son | 9.00 | |
| Misc. Contributions | | 24.70 |
| Entertainment: | | |
| William Thompson | 7.95 | |
| Lewis Manley | 10.00 | |
| William Rogers | 20.00 | |
| Donald W. Dunnan | 1.02 | |
| Entertainment Tickets (90) | | 36.00 |
| Decorating: | | |
| G. C. Prince & Son | 3.00 | |
| Mrs. Charles Trickey | .64 | |
| Checking | | 10.90 |
| Irma Darby | 2.00 | |
| Awards: | | |
| A. G. Pollard Co. | 25.00 | |
| Horace Partridge | 245.77 | |
| Banquet | | 171.00 |
| D. J. Sheehan | 65.75 | |
| Silver Lake Bakery | 9.00 | |
| Mrs. J. M. Patten | .50 | |
| Henry McKay | 2.00 | |

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|----------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Town of Tewksbury | 2.50 | |
| Mrs. Lillian Beattie | 2.00 | |
| Mrs. Bridget Tansey | 2.00 | |
| | | |
| | \$467.88 | \$601.35 |
| | | 467.88 |
| | | |
| | | Profit \$133.47 |

A check in the amount of \$133.47 has been presented to Whitman Pearson, Headmaster of the Tewksbury High School, to be expended in the purchase of Warm-up Jackets for the Football Squad.

HAROLD J. PATTEN,
Treasurer.

Audited by
ROBERT E. GAY,
Town Auditor

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDANT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.
Madam and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to present this my eighth annual report as Superintendent of Schools for this town. My own contribution to the school report is kept brief to permit my colleagues, the Principal of the High School, the Supervisors, and the School Nurse, to give adequate space to their individual reports.

Since the principal of the High School submits a full report on the activities of his school, I shall occupy little space in elaborating on these activities. I am happy to say that the academic activities in the school are being carried on earnestly and efficiently by a splendid corps of teachers under capable and inspiring leadership.

The community should and does take pride in this school. It is a credit to the town and a most definite asset. It is fulfilling the hopes and predictions of those whose vision give this school its inception. It has become so much a part of the community that it seems impossible that it is only in its third year of existence.

Physical surroundings have been continually improved so as to increase the comfort and convenience of the building. Not the least important improvement is that contributed by some of the students themselves in the form of a decorative art project for the walls of the cafeteria which was done under the direction of Miss Rosatto the Art Supervisor. It is amazing what was produced from inexpensive materials at a very small cost to the School Department. Taken together with the bright colored, sturdy tables turned out by the manual training department, and the very practical serving tables secured by Mr. Wiley's assistance, this room is a very attractive place for the students to spend the lunch period. Such surroundings should be conducive to better health habits and more genteel table manners. It is certainly a pleasant place to lunch even when filled to capacity with pupils.

A decided improvement from the administrative standpoint is the division of the large study hall into two rooms for use of the Commercial Department and the use of a smaller and better proportioned room for study-hall purposes. The modern organization of a school on the basis of homerooms renders unnecessary the large study hall of olden times.

A similar division of the manual training department into two sections by a partition seems like a good move. The glass partition makes it practical for the teacher to supervise or at least oversee one section

while teaching in the other. This arrangement gives a drafting room of comparative quiet and cleanliness.

The program in physical education, or at least in sports, is very well developed for the boys of the High School, but for the girls there is little of a truly competitive nature but basketball. I would suggest that field hockey be given a trial as an organized outdoor sport for girls. It is a popular game among young women and is supported on a varsity basis by many of the larger towns near Boston. It is an extremely fast game and has a strong appeal for girls of the high school age.

The development of the athletic field under government aid should prove a great asset to the physical program in the school. It is to be hoped that its use will not be confined to the limited numbers representing the so called "varsity squads." It should also be the scene of intra-mural games and inter-class contests. We should make the program reach more pupils than the so called TEAMS. While believing in inter-school competition, I do not feel that we give adequate considerations to the physical good of all of the pupils. There is a natural tendency to make the program subservient to the teams representing the schools.

In view of the excellent use that the school has already made of a borrowed moving picture projector, I believe the Committee would be justified in providing a good sound picture projector for use of the various departments. It has already demonstrated its value as used by Mr. Dunnan in his science classes. It could be of great value in the English, French, Commercial and Social Science departments, as well as in Art, Music and Dramatics.

OUR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Under substantially the same leadership and similar conditions as have been in vogue for the last few years, the elementary schools have gone along in a steady wholesome manner. No startling innovations have been tried. Our endeavor all along the line has been to prepare each grade to do successfully and with satisfaction to the pupils, the work of the succeeding year. At the same time we have endeavored to encourage all in the ways of right, safe and healthful living. How well we have succeeded, time alone will tell, especially as to the elements last mentioned. It is safe to say however that our success will be in proportion to the help or hindrance given by the rest of society during the hours spent outside of the schoolrooms.

These outside influences should not be underestimated in judging the success or failure of our schools. It should always be remembered that human psychology is working against rather for the schools. We

should recall the seeming failure of prohibition because of its compulsory nature. We have added to this the factor that public education is called FREE. In these two ways education is made subtly undesirable. We humans do not value the free gifts nearly as much as we do the forbidden fruits or those for which we have to struggle and pay. Add the element of compulsion to the acceptance of these free gifts and there appears a combination not easy to defeat. The recognition of these two forces is found in the following proverbs:

“You never miss the water ’til the well runs dry.”

and, “You may lead a horse to water but you can’t make him drink.”

Both are accepted universally as truths, but in the public school we are expected to nullify them both, while we confine animal spirits within four walls, under very artificial conditions. We confine active youngsters in seats spaced just so far apart. We keep them in a condition of more or less suspended animation for periods far in excess of any we can enforce on one or two children in the home. We force upon them a diet for which they have little natural inclination. We have to penalize them when they are acting naturally. In short, we are going against nature in nearly every way. But these things are done of necessity because of the very way in which our schools are organized.

This plan of organization also seems to be a necessity. If we are to have mass production education we have to use the methods of mass production. The size of classes alone is one of the most compelling factors in this necessity. If in classes of from thirty to nearly fifty pupils, we are to make even a start in arousing the interest necessary to successful presentation of material which is to be learned, we must have a group condition which makes it possible to secure attention. This means a group seated in such a manner that the teacher can determine whether she has that attention, and in a condition of order and quiet such that she can be heard. This is what is commonly called discipline. The teacher must secure all of this condition of disciplined order before she can begin to do her real task assigned to her i. e. to get them to learn something for which they feel no pressing need, especially in the earlier years of school life.

In addition to teaching facts and skills there is the task of inculcating qualities of spirit which are daily exemplified as vain and useless by the conduct of the world about them. The teacher is obliged to do this teaching in such a way that it seems incidental to something else; thus avoiding the appearance of preaching. This means hours of thoughtful preparation of lesson plans. That “honesty is the best policy” cannot be taught as convincingly by preaching as it can by numerous examples that dishonesty does not pay.

It is difficult to teach habits of truthfulness when the world uses

truth as a fine ideal for the other fellow and a convenience for home consumption; when business agreements and even international treaties are but "scraps of paper", and the oath of office of so many public officials is treated as a matter of form, a "horse and buggy" conventionality to be observed when it is good policy to do so or disregard if it is a question of losing a vote.

Good health habits and ways of right living are a part of the work of the schools. This work is often made useless by the attitude of the home. The life of a school nurse can be made miserable by the resentment shown when cleanliness and decency of person are insisted upon. An attempt to supervise or advise upon the type of school lunches can bring down wrath from some homes, where it is considered meddling.

SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAM

The health program in the local schools has had a marked improvement during the last half of the year. Many things are now being done in a systematic manner which we used to do now and then or not at all.

The school nurse has enlisted various members of the school organization in her health army and with their co-operation has already secured better facilities for first aid than had been in existence before. Now materials are in one convenient place instead of where last used.

The regular routine work and the usual clinics are carried on in a very efficient manner, with records now kept on standard cards recommended and provided by the Commonwealth. These, together with the duplicate life cards now in use, give us a permanent record of the school life of each child from the angles of health and school accomplishment.

As the report of the school nurse will probably show there is a very definite advancement toward the offering of hot dishes as an adjunct to school lunches in the various schools. This is her own accomplishment and she deserves great credit for the work devoted to it. In fact the general improvement in all of the health work in the schools should be credited to this official.

TEACHING PERSONNEL

The turnover in the teaching corps was not very great during the year. The most difficult situation was in the English department in the High School. Following the resignation of Miss Mills who became Mrs. Theberge, Mr. Edward Manning was elected to this position. Mr. Manning was enticed away by a substantial increase in salary offered by Barnstable High School and Mrs. Theberge was secured as a sub-

stitute for the balance of the year which ended in June. In September, Mr. Francis Maria of Lowell was placed in charge of the English department. Mr. Maria is also acting as Coach of basketball. In September a new teacher was added to the staff because of the increase in high school enrollment. Mr. Lawrence McGowan was secured for this position which involved in addition to the teaching load, assistance in the program of physical education. Mr. McGowan was of great assistance to Mr. Dunnán in producing a very capable and successful football team. In the Spring Mr. McGowan will assume direction of baseball. These two new men on the faculty have reduced materially the heavy load which Mr. Dunnán has borne for the past two years.

In the Foster School Miss Doris Roberts, a local girl, was elected to assist the principal. She succeeded Miss Allen who occupied a similar position until last June.

Two days before the opening of school Miss Elizabeth Giles resigned to take a position in Scituate. Miss Pauline Sullivan of Lawrence was elected to the position but she resigned at the Thanksgiving recess and Miss Ruth Hoar of Lowell is acting as a substitute teacher pending the election of a permanent incumbent to this seventh grade position.

In the Shawsheen School the resignation of Miss Ruth Kelly, the principal, resulted in the election of Miss Alberta Ringer of Lowell to the position in grades seven and eight. Miss Catherine Sullivan, teacher of grade six, was made principal of this building.

At the close of the fiscal year the resignation of Miss Marion Adams, the music supervisor, was received. Miss Adams has been elected to a similar position in Chelmsford. Her successor has not yet been selected.

ENROLLMENT FACTS

There is still a gradual increase in the total enrollment in the local schools. To be exact there were twenty pupils more on October 1, 1937, than on the same date in 1936. It is interesting to note however that in the same period the high school enrollment increased by twenty-five. This was of course due to the large entering class as compared to the number who were graduated in June. It would seem that the elementary grades have suffered a very slight loss, and yet there were seventeen more entering school in the first grades in September than in 1936. This shows that there is some shifting in population from year to year.

There are in the high school at present 228 pupils which is about the capacity load for the building. It is possible that we lose 41 of these in June. If the 58 in the eighth grade were all entering high school in the Fall there would be an enrollment of 245, a net increase of 17. It is probable that in September 1938, this building will be called upon to

accommodate 240 pupils at least. This can probably be done successfully but in the following year if the 85 now enrolled in grade seven were to try to take the places of the Junior class of 52, I fear the building will begin to bulge. After 1939 however, the classes as now enrolled drop down remarkably so that the number in the Freshman class of the next four years would not exceed 65.

A simple tabulation may make this clearer.

| Year | Entering | Graduating | Enrollment |
|------------|----------|------------|------------|
| 1937 | | 41 | 228 |
| 1938 | 59 | 52 | 246 |
| 1939 | 85 | 60 | 279 |
| 1940 | 65 | 75 | 283 |
| 1941 | 56 | 59 | 264 |
| 1942 | 65 | 85 | 270 |
| 1943 | 64 | 65 | 249 |
| 1945 | 58 | 56 | 256 |
| 1946 | 71 | 65 | 270 |

It would seem from a study of the above figures that with the classes actually now in school, if they stay the same in number, that for the next eight years there will be anywhere from 250 to 280 enrolled in a building planned for about 200. From this study it would seem wise to plan for at least a two room increase of the capacity of the building. In this connection I still believe that any addition should be large enough to accomodate grades seven and eight into a six year secondary school unit. This is the trend of the times for towns too small to support a Junior High School.

CONCLUSION

In closing may I say that I consider this another highly successful year for which my associates the teachers, supervisors and the school committee are jointly responsible. For the successful cooperation all have given me I am duly grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN,
Superintendent of Schools.

Wilmington, Mass.
January 7, 1938.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER TEWKSBURY HIGH SCHOOL
January 1938

Tewksbury High School began its third year in September 1937 with a record enrollment of 235 students divided as follows:

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|----------------------|-------|
| Freshmen | 73 |
| Sophomores | 59 |
| Juniors | 55 |
| Seniors | 42 |
| Post Graduates | 6 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 235 |

This represented an increase of 21 students over the figures for September 1937 when 214 students reported for registration.

The division of students according to the courses for which they registered was as follows:

| | | | |
|------------------------|----|-------------------------|----|
| College | 55 | Teacher's College | 5 |
| Nurse's Training | 8 | Home Economics | 12 |
| Manual Training | 18 | Commercial | 97 |

General 40

It is apparent from the above figures that nearly half of the students in the school have as an objective preparation for business, while about one quarter of them intend to enter a higher institution upon completion of their high school work.

The ten per cent increase in the enrollment of the school made necessary the addition of another teacher to the faculty and Mr. Lawrence McGowan of Fairhaven was selected from a large number of applicants. Mr. McGowan is a graduate of the Fairhaven High School, Tilton Academy, and the University of New Hampshire. He received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education from the University and made an excellent record in extra-curricular activities, including track, football, baseball, and R. O. T. C. Mr. McGowan teaches Citizenship, United States History, General Science and General Mathematics, and is continuing the Physical Education work started by Mr. Grant Longley. He is also coach of baseball and assistant coach of football.

Mr. Frank Maria of Lowell was elected to fill the English teaching position left vacant by the resignation of Mr. Edward Manning last year. Mr. Maria is a graduate of the Lowell High School and Boston University and at both institutions established a reputation for high

scholastic proficiency as well as having a successful career in extra-curricular activities. In addition to teaching English to the three upper classes, Mr. Maria is coach of boy's basketball.

Miss M. Marion Adams, Supervisor of Music, tendered her resignation in December 1937 so that she might assume the position of Supervisor of Music in the Chelmsford schools. As yet no successor to her position has been named.

On June 28, 1937 the High School held its second Annual Commencement exercises and twenty-seven young graduates attired in the traditional caps and gowns were awarded their diplomas. A complete list of the 1937 graduates follows:

| | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Mason Alexander | Arthur Urquhart | Robert Briggs |
| Earl Brown | Rosemarie Bonugli | Aubrey Cameron |
| Francis Crosby | Philip Caine | Gilbert French |
| Mary Gillissen | Alberta Currier | Eileen Sawyer |
| John Seekins | Leonard Glen | Nancy Goodwin |
| Nick Liegakos | Josephine Stanikas | Mary Mackey |
| James Manley | Stanley Lucas | James Mavrogianis |
| Catherine Meloy | Loretta Manley | Stuart Mitchell |
| James Roper | Robert Milk | Marion Wiley |

SPECIAL HONORS

Valedictory, Stanley Lucas

Salutatory, James Mavrogianis

The May L. Larrabee Scholarship Awards
STANLEY LUCAS, NANCY GOODWIN

The Melvin Rogers Athletic Medals
MASON ALEXANDER, JAMES MANLEY

*The Washington and Franklin History Medal
RITA COTE

The Parent-Teacher's Association Citizenship Award
GILBERT FRENCH

The Faculty Award for School Leadership
AUDREY CAMERON

The Balfour Award for Loyalty, Scholarship, and Achievement
NANCY GOODWIN

Mr. Alfred R. Mack, State Supervisor of Secondary Education was the Guest Speaker, and Mrs. May L. Larrabee, Chairman of the School Board presented the diplomas.

The development of scholastic proficiency is the primary objective

of any school and so it has been a source of satisfaction to the Headmaster and Faculty that the class work of the student body has been uniformly good. It was with this goal in mind that the school requires a student to secure 80 credit points for a diploma, and maintains 70% as a passing grade in all subjects. To insure careful review work, Mid-Year and Final examinations are conducted and the student's record on these examinations has an important bearing on the final term grade.

Every six weeks the Honor Roll is compiled, and during the past school year fifteen students were consistently eligible for High Honors with marks averaging over 90%, and approximately fifty more eligible for the regular Honor Roll. Space will not permit the listing of the entire Honor Roll but the following list includes those students who were consistent members of the High Honor group during 1936-1937:

| | | |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Nancy Goodwin | Stanley Lucas | James Mavrogianis |
| Thomas Berube | Rita Cote | Natalie Patten |
| Thornton Gay | Helen Gelinas | Rita Sullivan |
| William Noll | Warren Osterman | Tessie Liegakos |
| Meyer Abrams | Mary Casey | Marion Rogers |

In June of 1937 Tewksbury High School was awarded for the second year the Class A certificate issued by the State Department of Education. Mr. Alfred Mack, head of the department which awards the certificates, visited the school on two occasions other than for the Graduation exercises, and he expressed particular satisfaction over the attitude of the students toward their work and the cooperative relationship between the teachers and their classes.

In a review of the period since the last report special mention should be made of some of the outstanding achievements in the varied phases of school activity:

The school paper, the Hi-Lights, is being published regularly under the direction of Miss Maguire, and unlike most school literary enterprises continues to show a profit.

The boys in the Manual Training department directed by Mr. McSheehy have constructed a partition dividing the long Manual Training room into two parts, one for shop work and the other for Mechanical Drawing, and have built a number of benches which may be used for the two phases of this department's work.

Miss Dutton, the Home Economics teacher has continued the Boys Cooking class which has proved so successful since its inception the first year of the school.

The Behave Yourself class in manners and social customs which

was begun last year has been continued for the benefit of the freshman class, and a special Advanced class in Problems of Social Behaviour has been conducted for the upperclassmen.

For the third year a class in Highway Safety was conducted by the school during activities period and forty students took advantage of this work. The class which is sponsored by the Registry of Motor Vehicles and the Massachusetts Safety Council has as its objectives the training of careful and considerate drivers, and preparation for the motor vehicle license test.

Tewksbury High School students had a chance to gain radio dramatic experience when during the spring of 1937 four fifteen-minute plays were broadcast over radio station WLLH in Lowell. This activity was planned so that the maximum number of students could participate, and before the program was finished nearly half of the members of the student body had had an opportunity before the microphone.

The Senior Play for 1937, "She Stoops to Conquer" was produced under the direction of Miss Phillips, and though the presentation of this famous classical play was an ambitious undertaking for a high school group the cast and its director carried it through to a complete success.

The Friday afternoon Dancing Classes are being directed again this year by Miss Naomi Gilooly of Lowell and are providing nearly a hundred students with instruction in this social activity. Frequent school dances have been held with the formal Senior-Junior Prom and the Halloween Costume Ball the most outstanding events.

Under the capable direction of Miss Rosatto, the Art Supervisor, seventeen life-size decorative panels were painted by the art class for the ornamentation of the school lunch room. These panels depicting the dress styles of different nationalities and periods were the subject of a special feature article in the Lowell Leader after they had been viewed by a reporter who visited the school. In addition to the panels the art students carried their decorative scheme to completion by making appropriate chair backs for the Faculty table and window curtains.

Each of the Seniors in the Commercial Department has been given the assignment of Office Assistant for a week, during which time he or she gained practical experience in typing, filing, and other features of school office work. This department under the direction of Miss Chandler has been of immense value to the administration of the school by mimeographing all programs, examinations, forms and the issues of the school paper.

Assembly programs were held at frequent intervals throughout

the year and provided varied forms of entertainment and instruction. The outstanding speakers of the year were Dr. Tehyi Hsieh, famous Chinese diplomat, economist, and author, and Mr. L. R. Talbot of the Massachusetts Audubon Society, well known authority on bird conservation.

The addition of Miss Edith Haines, R. N. to the Faculty as School Nurse has been of great value to the school in the promotion of health practices among the students. Under her direction a room on the third floor of the building has been adapted for first aid work, and equipped with a suitable cot through the generosity of the Parent-Teacher Association.

Mr. Wiley has found time to do much valuable carpentry work in addition to discharging his many janitorial duties. During the summer of 1937 he designed and completed an attractive counter for the cafeteria, and during the year has made lockers, cabinets, bleachers, and other equipment at a great saving to the town.

Under the leadership of Miss Adams, the school has been able to do excellent work in the field of music and so it is with great regret that the Tewksbury faculty and students see her sever her connection with the town.

Mr. Dunnan has conducted research into the subject of Visual Education and during the spring of 1937 was able to procure and show many outstanding educational films to his Science classes.

The addition of Mr. Maria and Mr. McGowan to the Faculty have made possible an extension of the school's "athletics for all" policy, and Tewksbury has been able to maintain an enviable reputation in high school athletic circles in spite of its relatively small size. Under the direction of Coach Dunnan and his assistants Mr. McGowan, and Mr. Hazel the football team was able to complete the 1937 season without a defeat. The school owes a great debt of gratitude to Mr. Hazel who for the past three years has volunteered his services as an assistant coach and has been an important factor in the success of the school's teams.

Tewksbury High School's Relay team which won the Lowell Suburban Championship in 1936 and 1937 entered the State Championship Meet at Fitchburg in June and garnered second place honors in the half-and-quarter-mile relay races for small high schools.

The outlook for the 1938 basketball season is promising, with the girl's team, coached by Miss Chandler and Miss Scoboria, having registered decisive victories over Chelmsford and Methuen, and Coach Maria's boy's team winning over Acton and Chelmsford by comfortable margins.

The \$350 subsidy voted by the town toward the support of High School athletics in view of the heavy burden football imposes on the Athletic Association's budget, had the desired effect, and the school was able to balance its athletic budget. One other important factor in obtaining this result was the remarkable financial success of the Booster Day Tewksbury-Wilmington game on Thanksgiving Day when a net profit of \$250 was made.

Work on the high school athletic field was carried through to completion in the late fall so that Tewksbury's athletic teams may play on this surface from now on instead of using the Tewksbury Recreational Club or State Infirmary fields. The addition of a field house which is now under construction will provide Tewksbury with the most complete athletic plant of any small high school in this vicinity.

The tennis courts which were surfaced last spring were in constant use during the fall and nearly forty students took part in the school's first tennis tournament. This sport is one of the best from a physical education standpoint and has a much greater carry-over value than most of the other school athletic activities.

In closing I wish to thank the members of the School Committee, Superintendent Stephen Bean, the members of the High School Faculty and the entire student body for the complete cooperation which they have given me in directing the destiny of the school through its first two and a half years. Such success as we have had is clearly the result of concerted effort toward the same goal, and there is no reason why we cannot continue in our purpose of making Tewksbury High School a leader in all phases of school activity.

Respectfully submitted,

WHITMAN PEARSON,
Headmaster.

ENROLLMENT DATA FOR 1937

TABLE I

Age and Grade Distribution

October 1, 1937

| | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | T |
|--------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| I | 29 | 35 | 5 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 71 |
| II | | 22 | 27 | 8 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 58 |
| III | | 1 | 8 | 35 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 64 |
| IV | | | | 16 | 29 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | | | | 65 |
| V | | | | | 6 | 27 | 11 | 10 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 56 |
| VI | | | | | | 9 | 40 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 65 |
| VII | | | | | | 3 | 18 | 35 | 17 | 5 | 6 | | 1 | | | | 85 |
| VIII | | | | | | | 2 | 12 | 26 | 11 | 6 | 2 | | | | | 59 |
| T. | 29 | 58 | 40 | 61 | 49 | 54 | 76 | 71 | 47 | 19 | 15 | 3 | 1 | | | | 523 |
| IX | | | | | | | | | 16 | 37 | 16 | 4 | 2 | | | | 75 |
| X | | | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 26 | 6 | 5 | | | | 60 |
| XI | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 14 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 52 |
| XII | | | | | | | | | | | | 17 | 17 | 7 | | | 41 |
| H.S.T. | | | | | | | | | 19 | 64 | 59 | 41 | 33 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 228 |
| G. T. | 29 | 58 | 40 | 61 | 49 | 54 | 76 | 71 | 66 | 83 | 75 | 44 | 34 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 751 |

TABLE II.
Teacher-Grade Distribution
October 1, 1937

| GRADE | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7, | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | PG | T |
|------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| ROLLO | 41 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 41 |
| CUNNINGHAM | | 41 | | | | | | | | | | | | 41 |
| WATSON | | | 36 | | | | | | | | | | | 36 |
| BLAKE | | | | 43 | | | | | | | | | | 43 |
| PIPER | | | | | 28 | | | | | | | | | 28 |
| FLYNN | | | | | | 39 | | | | | | | | 39 |
| HOAR | | | | | | | 41 | | | | | | | 41 |
| HOWARD | | | | | | | | 45 | | | | | | 45 |
| REYNOLDS | 26 | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | 38 |
| SHAW | | | 22 | 16 | | | | | | | | | | 38 |
| LAMBERT | | | | | 20 | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| SULLIVAN | | | | | | 23 | | | | | | | | 23 |
| RINGER | | | | | | | 30 | 8 | | | | | | 38 |
| LYNESS | 4 | 5 | 6 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | 21 |
| HERSEY | | | | | 8 | 3 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | 28 |
| PEARSON | | | | | | | | | 75 | 60 | 52 | 41 | | 228 |
| TOTAL | 71 | 58 | 64 | 65 | 56 | 65 | 85 | 59 | 75 | 60 | 52 | 41 | | 751 |

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent and School Committee of Tewksbury, Mass.

As Supervisor of Music in the Tewksbury Schools, I present the following report:

The High School Orchestra and Chorus furnished music for the High School Graduation, and the orchestra played for several school and church programs during the year. A chorus, consisting of all Grammar School graduates sang for the Grammar School Graduation.

Again, I wish to thank the Parent-Teacher's Association for presenting the Perfect Score Pins to the seventh grade pupils of the Foster School. Those having one hundred percent in the Music Memory Contest received pins.

I also appreciate the interest of the association in the New England High School Music Festival. One pupil from the High School Orchestra played in the New England High School Festival Orchestra at the Hyannis Teachers' College, last March.

The High School class in Music Appreciation visited the Edward MacDowell Music Colony at Peterboro, New Hampshire in June.

Assemblies for carol singing were held in the Shawsheen, the Ella F. Flemings, and the Foster Schools at Christmas.

January seventeenth, I take up my new work as Supervisor of Music in the Chelmsford Schools. I am happy to have this opportunity to thank you for giving me the privilege of teaching in the Tewksbury Schools the past five years and I thank the teachers for their splendid interest in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

M. MARION ADAMS,

Chelmsford, Mass.

January 10, 1938.

REPORT OF ART SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent and School Board of Tewksbury:

1937 proved to be a very interesting year in the Art Department.

Regular fundamentals were taught up until the end of April. Beginning with May each room chose some branch of drawing as a special project and worked for approximately six weeks producing several drawings which were mounted for the Exhibition in June.

A prize was offered to each school for the best room and the parents and friends were given a chance to vote for the room that appealed to them. The children showed excellent spirit both in their drawing preparation and in getting the interest of parents and friends to view the exhibition and vote.

In each school the prize was a Cape Cod Barometer, which has since been enjoyed by all the students.

At the Foster School the prize was voted to Miss Howard's room. At the Ella E. Flemings School the prize went to Miss Lyness's room. And at the Shawsheen School it went to Miss Kelley's room.

At the High School the project was begun the latter part of January and was of a more lasting quality. The comparatively small group who elected drawing as one of their subjects undertook to decorate the Lunch room of the High School. This was accomplished by careful planning and choosing of pictures.

Seventeen upson board panels were first sized and then painted in oils. Mr. Wiley added the frames and attached them to the walls of the Lunch room.

The pictures show figures of various countries in the style used in that country wherever possible. The panel sizes vary according to the space, many being as large as four feet by six feet.

The allotted school time for drawing was not sufficient to finish these panels, but the student interest to finish the work kept many working long after school hours and even on Saturday. This made it possible to exhibit the completed project on the evening of graduation.

I take this opportunity to express genuine appreciation to all for their co-operation in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

VITTORIA ROSATTO,
Supervisor of Drawing.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

The past year has shown progress in the school work. A Dental clinic has been established which is functioning to the advantage of the children. The duties of the School Nurse have increased nearly 50%. The coming spring we will hold another Diphtheria clinic of immunization and will endeavor to include pre-school cases. Our present school nurse is doing unusually fine work and is increasing the efficiency of this department immeasurably.

In the case of Tuberculosis examinations in our schools I would suggest more co-operation from the parents, as our standing is below that of our surrounding towns and the State Department is considering cutting us from their list. These examinations are without danger to the pupil and when the least suspicious findings present themselves by the skin reaction an X-Ray is taken which shows the very early and curable pathology of the disease.

In memoriam, let me speak of the services of our late School Nurse, Mrs. Emma McLaren who died this past fall. Mrs. McLaren was a faithful, kindly woman who really loved her school children and who cared for them over a period of many years. The past few years her health has been failing and it was with real difficulty that she carried on, but in her death we lost a real motherly nurse who had the interest of the children at heart.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.,
School Physician.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSES

To Mr. Stephen Bean,
Superintendent of Schools,
Tewksbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

It is with a great degree of satisfaction and appreciation that I submit my first report to you as school nurse.

While I have only been with you for four months, I feel we have made tremendous strides in our health work in the schools.

First of all Dr. Larrabee and I took care of all children in the first grade who were not vaccinated. Then I weighed and measured all the children and have given short health talks from time to time. All students taking part in athletics in high school have been examined by the doctor. Many children have had physical defects corrected.

An "Early Diagnosis Campaign Clinic" for Tuberculosis in the high school has been arranged with approximately 80% of the student body taking advantage of it. This clinic is sponsored by the State Department of Health. The dental clinic is in full swing with Dr. Mahoney. Each Friday morning is taken up.

Each school is well equipped with first aid materials and we are teaching a group in each building the emergency treatment of minor accidents under the supervision of a teacher.

The Christmas Seal Sale has been very gratifying and as we have approximately 85% of this money returned for use in Tewksbury, we are planning on sending some of our undernourished and Tuberculosis contacts to summer camps. This is just a beginning of what we hope to enlarge upon as time goes on.

To each and every one who in any way have made this good start possible, I say—Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.,

School Nurse.

ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

| Class | Name | School or Dept. | Address |
|----------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Prin. | Whitman Pearson | High | Tewksbury |
| Teachers | Donald Dunnan | High | Tewksbury |
| | Donald McSheehy | High | Middleton |
| | Francis Maria | High | Lowell |
| | Lawrence McGowan | High | Tewksbury |
| | Catherine Maguire | High | Lowell |
| | Marjorie Scoboria | High | Chelmsford |
| | Kathryn Chandler | High | Tewksbury |
| | Evelyn Dutton | High | Dracut |
| | Agnes Phillips | High | Tewksbury |
| Prin. | Ethelyn Howard | Foster VIII | Tewksbury |
| Teachers | Doris Roberts | Assistant | Tewksbury |
| | Ruth Hoar | Foster VII | Lowell |
| | Elizabeth Flynn | Foster VI | Chelmsford |
| | Marion Piper | Foster V | Lowell |
| | Doris Blake | Foster IV | Wamesit |
| | Mary Watson | Foster III | Tewksbury |
| | Virginia Cunningham | Foster II | Lowell |
| | Mildred Rollo | Foster I | Lowell |
| Prin. | Katherine Sullivan | Shawsheen VI | Tewksbury |
| Teachers | Alberta Ringer | Shawsheen VII-VIII | Lowell |
| | Margery Shaw | Shawsheen III-IV | Lowell |
| | Hazel Lambert | Shawsheen V | Lowell |
| | Elizabeth Reynolds | Shawsheen I-II | Lowell |
| Prin. | Eva L. Hersey | North V-VIII | No. Tewksbury |
| Teacher | Bernice Lyness | North I-IV | Lowell |
| Superv. | Vittorio Rosatto | Art | Lowell |
| | Marion Adams | Music | Chelmsford |
| Health | Herbert M. Larrabee | Physician | Tewksbury |
| | Edith Haines | Nurse | Tewksbury |
| Janitors | Harry Wiley | High | Tewksbury |
| | Walter Lavelle | Foster | Tewksbury |
| | Robert Stavely | Shawsheen | Tewksbury |
| | Irving Bailey | North | No. Tewksbury |
| Trans. | Anthony Furtado, Jr. | | Tewksbury |
| | Omer Blanchard | | No. Tewksbury |
| Supt. | Stephen G. Bean | | Wilmington |

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1938

January 3 to February 26

Mid-Winter Vacation

March 7 to April 29

Spring Vacation

May 9 to June 18—Elementary

May 9 to June 25—High

Summer Vacation

September 7 to December 2

Christmas Vacation

January 2, 1939 to February 25, 1939

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